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JAB-O-METER

TAKE YOUR SHOT

February 1: 50,63,394 doses

February 2: 48,73,824 doses

TOTAL DOSES: 1,67,80,54,625

NATIONWIDE	FEB 1	FEB 2
Fresh cases	1,67,059	1,61,386
Recoveries	2,54,076	2,81,109
Deaths	1,192	1,733

KARNATAKA	FEB 1	FEB 2
Fresh cases	14,366	20,505
Recoveries	60,914	40,903
Deaths	58	81

25% OF CANDIDATES IN U.P. HAVE CRIMINAL CASES AGAINST THEM

156 out of 615 candidates in Uttar Pradesh have declared criminal cases against themselves, says a new ADR report

CONTESTANTS FACE MURDER, RAPE CHARGES

Of the 156, six candidates have disclosed that there are murder cases against them, while 30 have cases related to attempt to murder. As many as 12 candidates have declared cases related to crime against women, while one is facing charges of rape, an analysis of affidavits filed by the candidates contesting the upcoming UP Assembly polls showed

PARTIES IGNORE APEX COURT DIRECTIONS

- Those facing serious criminal cases include 17 from SP, 15 from RLD, 22 from BJP, 11 from Congress, 16 from BSP and 5 from AAP
- The directions of the Supreme Court have had no impact on the political parties in selection of candidates in Phase 1 of UP elections, the Association for Democratic Reforms said

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CROREPATI CANDIDATES CONTESTING THE UPCOMING U.P. POLLS SO FAR

CHENNAI ▪ MADURAI ▪ VIJAYAWADA ▪ BENGALURU ▪ KOCHI ▪ HYDERABAD ▪ VISAKHAPATNAM ▪ COIMBATORE ▪ KOZHIKODE ▪ THIRUVANANTHAPURAM ▪ BELAGAVI ▪ BHUBANESWAR ▪ SHIVAMOGGA ▪ MANGALURU ▪ TIRUPATI ▪ TIRUCHY ▪ TIRUNELVELI ▪ SAMBALPUR ▪ HUBBALLI ▪ DHARMAPURI ▪ KOTTAYAM ▪ KANNUR ▪ VILLUPURAM ▪ KOLLAM ▪ TADEPALLIGUDEM ▪ NAGAPATTINAM ▪ THRISSUR ▪ KALABURAGI

Record public investment to spur growth, says Modi

PM counters criticism that the Budget did not have much for farmers, the middle class and the poor, says it will create more jobs

SHAHID FARIDI @ New Delhi

A day after the Budget 2022-23 was presented in the Lok Sabha, Prime Minister Narendra Modi tore apart criticism that there was nothing for the poor, farmers and the middle class. In his virtual address to BJP workers across the country, Modi said the Budget has taken public investment to record levels to create more infrastructure, which will lead to faster growth and more jobs.

Highlighting the Budget announcements for farmers, Modi said the river-linking project under which ₹60,000 crore has been allocated for Ken-Betwa project will meet the irrigation needs of farmers in Madhya Pradesh. And, ₹68,000 crore has been earmarked for direct assistance to farmers under the Kisan Samman Nidhi, he added. Besides, a digital platform has been created to help farmers get the best price for their produce, he noted, adding that a separate agriculture corridor will also be created for farmers' benefit.

Modi said there is a scheme to make *annadatas* (food providers) into *ujradatas* (energy providers). Under this, farmers will be provided solar pumps through which they would be able to sell their excess power. They will also be provided with drones to efficiently handle crops. He claimed the government has made record procurement under minimum support price. The Budget has a large number of schemes for the poor and youth, the PM said, adding that over nine crore households have piped water, and 80 lakh pucca houses are being constructed for the poor. This, he said, is being done with the aim of providing housing for all.

He said the government's focus is to develope remote areas, adding that all the villages of the country will soon be connected with optical fibre cable, which will take high-speed intenet to the villages. This, he said, will open doors to development in villages. The PM said the Project Parvatmala will take government's development schemes to the remote Himalayan villages.

The Budget has laid foundation for providing growth avenues for the youth of the country, Modi said. He added that startups have been given further tax benefits and asked youth to start their own business. The digital university, announced in the Budget, will soon be established and India should move towards gaming hub.

Our country is now moving towards 5G. This will help in ease of living and ease of doing business - **Narendra Modi, Prime Minister**

UNION BUDGET 2022-23

SEPARATE ITR COLUMN FOR CRYPTO

Income tax return forms from next year will have a separate column for making disclosures on gains made from cryptocurrencies and paying taxes, Revenue Secretary Tarun Bajaj said. From April 1st, 30% tax plus cess and surcharges will be applied on crypto income

LIC IPO IN MARCH

Draft LIC IPO prospectus to be filed by next week, issue in March, says Tuhin Kanta Pandey, Secy to the Dept of Investment and Public Asset Management

UNDERSTANDING THE BUDGET NARRATIVE

An economist with psychological background, not a pure economist, seems to have strategised the Budget narrative, writes S Gurumurthy P9

Two-year time to revise ITR comes with caveats

DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

NOTWITHSTANDING Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman's claim that the Budget has imposed no additional burden on tax payers, a deeper analysis of the fine print shows that the government has not only widened the tax net but also strengthened it.

TDS has become the go-to tool for the government to ensure that no one escapes the tax net. Budget 2022 has proposed TDS on sale of immovable property at 1% of the transaction value or stamp duty value, whichever is higher. Currently, TDS is applicable on the consideration value of property.

There are more unpleasant surprises in Budget 2022. For instance, allowing revision of tax return for two years is not an amnesty scheme as many thought. In fact, revision is not allowed if it leads to decrease in the tax liability, results in refund or increases the refund. Last year's Budget had introduced a provision that said if one fails to file tax returns for two years, TDS at double the prescribed rate would be deducted on salary income, premature withdrawal of EPF, TDS on cash withdrawal. It has now been brought down to one year. This means, penalties will kick if return is not filed for one year.

Gulf widening between 'two Indias', warns Rahul

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

FORMER Congress president and Member of Parliament Rahul Gandhi said on Wednesday that India has reached a dangerous place under the Modi government, whose policies have led to alienation of people and undermining of institutions on one hand, and coming together of China and Pakistan.

Speaking on the motion of thanks to President's address to the joint session of Parliament, he said, "The RSS and BJP are weakening foundation of our country, links between our people, our languages." Today, India is weaker than before. Gandhi alleged the instruments of conversation between states and people are being attacked. Tamil Nadu is removed from the decision making with its demand for decision on NEET being ignored, he said. "Farmers of Punjab can sit on dharna for one year, but you say you can die but we won't listen to you."

He said there are two competing visions of India. One is a union of languages, states, and culture. The other is the idea of a king, a ruler. "We had smashed it. But now the king is back, centralising all power. What is happening as a result is that it has alienated people. I advise you to stop. It is very dangerous. It shows lack of understanding about India," he said, and added that India cannot be ruled by a stick from the Centre.

All institutions including the judiciary and election commission are compromised, he said. "When the PM personally goes to Israel and comes back and deploys Pegasus on the people of India, it is sure to destroy the country," he said. The poor youth of the country do not have jobs, but the President's address did not have a single word about jobs. He said that in 2021, three crore jobs were lost.

All the wealth is accumulated in the hands of 2-3 people. Just because they market you on TV - **Rahul Gandhi, Cong leader**

Cabinet rejig on cards? CM heads to Delhi on Monday

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @ Bengaluru

AMID the buzz on cabinet expansion, Chief minister Basavaraj Bommai is visiting Delhi on Monday to meet party leaders and union ministers.

BJP sources told The New Indian Express that Bommai is under pressure to reshuffle the cabinet as many in the party are eyeing ministerial berths. Though the CM is heading to Delhi on Monday, the cabinet rejig may happen only after the Assembly elections in five crucial states, the sources added. But the aspirants want it done before the polls, as they feel that they would not have enough time to settle down and work in their departments as Assembly elections in the state are due next year, the sources said. The ministry has four vacant slots.

Party leaders MP Renukacharya, Basanagouda Patil and Abhay Patil are quite vocal about the cabinet exercise. There has been talk within party circles that some senior ministers could be assigned party work, making way for new faces in the cabinet. P4

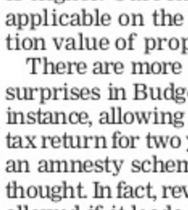
It has been a tradition for the CM to meet state MPs during the budget session of Parliament... I will also meet legal experts to discuss inter-state river water disputes

Basavaraj Bommai, Chief Minister

ACB names Sasi, Ilavarasi, 4 jail officials in chargesheet

YATHIRAJU @ Bengaluru

IN fresh trouble for former Tamil Nadu CM J Jayalalithaa's aide **VK Sasikala** and her sister-in-law J Ilavarasi, the ACB of Karnataka has filed a chargesheet against them and four erring prison department officials over alleged preferential treatment of the duo while serving a sentence at the Central Prison at Parappana Agrahara.



When the division bench of Chief Justice Ritu Raj Awasthi and Justice Suraj Govindaraj took up a PIL for hearing on Wednesday, the government advocate informed the court that the state on December 30, 2021, sanctioned the prosecution of four prison department officials under provisions of the Prevention of Corruption Act. P5

PUBLIC CONVENIENCE

Towing to stop in city, new system in 15 days: Minister

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

HOME Minister Araga Jnanendra on Wednesday announced that towing of vehicles by the traffic police will be stopped in Bengaluru till a new simplified system is put in place within the next 15 days after a discussion with Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai.

As vehicle towing in the city had come under criticism after recent incidents of alleged harassment of the public by the towing vehicle staff, Jnanendra held a meeting with top police officials on Wednesday evening.

Coming out of the meeting, he said it was decided that a solution should be evolved to stop harassment of the public.

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Storm over textbook: Not ours, clarifies govt

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

FOLLOWING a case of mistaken identity in an alleged Karnataka textbook, the government was in a tizzy trying to locate the source of the textbook and if it was indeed published as a government textbook.

The cause of a minor storm on the internet was a picture posted by Malayalam actor Kunchacko Boban of what appeared to be a Karnataka textbook with him depicted as a postman. The actor jokingly posted on the social media that after many years, he finally landed a government job in Karnataka.

But the post in jest, which went viral, took a political turn with Congress MP DK Suresh alleging that Boban's picture is a perfect example of the education system failing in Karnataka under the BJP rule. Targeting Primary and Secondary Education Minister **BC Nagesh** and his predecessor S Suresh Kumar, the MP tweeted, "The standard of education in our state is crumbling under the BJP. Students already have a reduced syllabus and there is no supervision of government over teaching. Now the textbooks have images taken off from the internet instead of well researched report by the Textbook Prep Committee."

The Department of Public Instruction (DPI) and the Karnataka Text Book Society (KTBS) scurried to find the source of Boban's photo and the textbook. P5

This is a privately published textbook from Hubballi titled 'Anchayenna'

S Suresh Kumar, BJP MLA and former Primary and Secondary Education Minister

ITC Enduring Value
Savlon Swasth India
27 MINUTES OF INFECTION PROTECTION OR 25 HOURS?
DEPENDS ON THE MASK YOU DECIDE TO WEAR.
Just like the virus, masks have variants too. One of the most powerful mask variants is the scientifically designed N95 mask, or its comparable BIS certified FFP2 mask.
If we all wear these masks, we can stay protected from viruses (including the fast spreading variant) for up to 25 hours*, even in the presence of an infected person. With cloth masks, this duration drops to a mere 27 minutes#.
FFP2 masks have electrostatically charged layers that ordinary masks do not have. It's no wonder that it is recommended to use FFP2 or N95 masks.
TIME IT TAKES TO TRANSMIT AN INFECTIOUS DOSE OF COVID-19
PERSON NOT INFECTED IS WEARING
PERSON INFECTED IS WEARING
NOTHING | CLOTH MASK | SURGICAL MASK | N95 MASK [10%]
NOTHING: 15 MIN | 20 MIN | 30 MIN | 2.5 HR
CLOTH MASK: 20 MIN | 27 MIN | 40 MIN | 3.3 HR
SURGICAL MASK: 30 MIN | 40 MIN | 60 MIN | 5 HR
N95 MASK [10%]: 2.5 HR | 3.3 HR | 5 HR | 25 HR
*Provided both wear N95 or its comparable FFP2 masks correctly.
#See table. From ACGIH® Pandemic Task Force Fact Sheet: Workers Need Respirators.

ALMANAC TODAY
• Thursday : 03/02/2022 • Year: Plava • Ayana: Uttharayana
• Ritu: Sishira • Masa: Magha • Paksha: Shukla • Tithi: Dwitheeya 8.17 am
• Nakshatra: Sathabhisha 7.09 pm • Moon in Meena Rashi • Rahukaala: 01:30 pm to 03:00 pm
• Gulikakala: 09:00 am to 10:30 am • Yamaganda: 03:00 am to 04:30 am

WEATHER
MIN 17°C | MAX 30°C
FORECAST: Mostly sunny

Sunrise 6.45 am
Sunset 6.21 pm
Moonrise 8.30 am
Moonset 8.32 pm

Act against those damaging roads: Gupta

BBMP chief tells officials not to favour anyone over upkeep of roads

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

BRUHAT Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Chief Commissioner Gaurav Gupta on Wednesday said directions have been issued to engineers across zones to take action against any individuals and civic agencies found cutting through roads, and not filling them back again.

Speaking to reporters, Gupta said the engineers and zonal commissioners have been instructed that as custodians of roads, they must ensure that they are well-maintained. He said directions have been given to file cases against violators, while no soft corner is to be shown to the BWSSB, BESCOM or any other agency. If the BBMP engineers do not act as per these directions, action will be taken against them as well.

He was speaking after the recent incident, involving a death of a woman due to bad roads, was reported, and in the wake of the ongoing High Court case regarding the state of roads in the city.

Meanwhile, Gupta admitted that there have been instances where after a well-tarred road is dug open for civic work, it is seldom restored to its original state. Such roads continue to remain in a bad condition, and worsen overtime.

He also added that work on delimitation of wards was being done and the final list will be shared with the government soon for approval, after which the final decision will be taken.

On the question of survey being done by BBMP officials assessing occupancy certificates, Gupta said that having an OC is a must and those who have made deviations in building plans are not given any occupancy certificate.

> *As custodians of roads, engineers and zonal commissioners must ensure that they are maintained well*
>
> **Gaurav Gupta, Chief Commissioner, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike**

AAP holds candlelight vigil to honour teacher

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

AFTER Bengaluru was rocked by the death of a teacher attributed to a pothole, AAP help a candlelight vigil in honour of Sharmila.

Sharmila died on Sunday after she was crushed by a truck. She had been riding with her husband on a pothole-riddled road when she fell off the bike, with many attributing the accident to a case of bad roads and potholes. Incidentally, the accident occurred after the Karnataka High Court called out BBMP's report on the status of potholes in Bengaluru as a sham.

In order to highlight the issue, AAP Bengaluru President Mohan Desari urged citizens to undertake a candlelight vigil on Wednesday evening. Hundreds of people across Bengaluru joined the vigil from Rajajinagar, Begur, Sunkenahalli, Malleswaram and other parts to honour the late teacher.

In addition, AAP has also undertaken a social media campaign, with the #WhoKilledSharmila, to showcase the quality of roads in Bengaluru.

Over the last few months, the party had been undertaking various campaigns to highlight infrastructure issues in the city, especially those related to potholes.

WARMER DAYS

Spring break? It feels like summer already

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

COME February, and the chilly mornings and nights of January have melted away, and a dry spell is starting. With life back to a pre-Covid normal, those out on the streets are complaining of prickly summer heat even in the mornings.

However, India Meteorological Department (IMD) officials maintain that winter will continue through February, though in South India, temperatures begin to rise after Sankranti in mid-January. This time, the situation is a bit different, with the day maximum temperature rising and evening temperature still on the cooler side. The city has started recording a rise in maximum temperature by one degree Celsius, and 2-3 degree rise in minimum temperature. But due to humidity, the coolness continues and mornings are foggy. The last of the chill evaporates with Mahashivaratri.

The maximum temperature on February 1 was 30.6 degree Celsius, two degrees above the normal average of 29 degree Celsius, and on February 2, the maximum temperature was 31.5 degree Celsius, three degrees above normal. The normal minimum temperature is generally 16 degree Celsius.

IMD Bengaluru Director-in-charge Geeta Agnihotri told TNIE that it is only a feeling of a rise in temperature, there is no sharp rise in the mercury yet. There is also no data to show why the temperature is rising. While some parts of south interior Karnataka are experiencing a rise in temperature, other districts are reporting record minimum temperatures, like Bidar, which reported 9.6 degree Celsius minimum temperature on February 1 and 11 degree Celsius on February 2.

The IMD head office in Pune is also assessing if the prolonged monsoon has had an impact on temperatures, and whether it will impact the onset of summer.

CITY WEATHER (IN DEG CELSIUS)

Day	Maximum	Minimum
Jan 25	30.2	16.2
Jan 26	29	17.8
Jan 27	28.8	19.8
Jan 28	27.2	18.3
Jan 29	26.7	17.6
Jan 30	28.3	18.3
Jan 31	31.6	19.2
Feb 1	30.6	19.5
Feb 2	31.5	17.8

CHANGE OF SEASON

BBMP staffers collect dry leaves fallen from trees, which signals the end of winter, in Bengaluru on Wednesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

2 fire mishaps: BMTC takes up internal probe

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

IN the wake of the two recent incidents involving buses catching fire, the Bangalore Metropolitan Transport Corporation (BMTC) is conducting an internal inquiry of such issues, and has also asked bus manufacturer Ashok Leyland to look into the same.

Within a span of just 10 days, two incidents of BMTC buses catching fire in two different parts of the city have been reported. In both cases, fortunately the passengers escaped unhurt. On January 21, a fire incident was reported in Chamarajpet, while another bus went up in flames in Jayanagar on February 1.

The two incidents have led to panic among commuters, for whom public transport is a necessity, and who continue to use it despite their fears.

"We did an internal inquiry and found that in both the incidents, the fire was caused because of an internal short circuit. While we are checking all the buses and doing an internal audit, we have asked Ashok Leyland to do the same, for the buses which it has supplied," said BMTC Managing Director Anbu Kumar.

The fire incidents involved two Midi buses, which are 9 metres in length, and smaller than the usual 12-metre buses. As BMTC admitted that the buses are not well-maintained, they point that the buses have not run out the life quoted. They state that they have not been over-driven, leading to such issues.

According to officials, the second bus which caught fire had run 4.5 lakh km, against the normal of 10 lakh km, while the first bus had run 7 lakh km. The officials also stated that BMTC operates 6,000 buses, which make 50,000 trips a day and ply at an average speed of 13 kmph. They also pointed out that they have been operating the same fleet since 15 years.

The officials admitted that operational maintenance has been a challenge for BMTC, because of financial issues. They also admitted that replacing the buses is not possible due to financial constraints. Also, fleet and fuel audit is being discussed with the transport committee headed by Srinivas Murthy.

EXPRESS READ

BU invites applications for PG courses

Bengaluru: Bangalore University has invited applications for a number of postgraduate courses for the academic year 2021-2022. According to a notification, seats are vacant for Master's of Arts programmes in Media Studies, Public Relations and Advertising, Master's of Science programmes in Film Making, Graphics and Animation, Natural Disaster Management and Solid Waste Management, Master's of Commerce programmes in Finanace and Accounting, and International Business, and Master of Tourism And Travel Management. All of the courses are self-financing. Interested applicants can apply at the university's official website (bangaloreuniversity.ac.in). Last date to submit applications is February 7.

PUC sample question papers now available

Bengaluru: The PU Department has released the model question papers for 2021-22 academic year, which can be downloaded on the website — www.pue.kar.nic.in. Objections can be mailed to dpuemqp@gmail.com up to February 5. The papers are available for Kannada, English, Hindi, Home Science, Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, Marathi, Urdu, Sanskrit, Arabic, French, History, Economics, Geography, Music-Hindustani, Business Studies, Sociology (Em), Political Science, Accountancy, Statistics, Psychology, Psychology (English), Physics, Chemistry, Maths, Biology, Geology, Electronics, Computer-Science, Education, Home Science, Basic Maths, Beauty & Wellness, Automotive, Retail, IT, Logic (Km), Sociology (Km), Statistics, Logic (Em) and Optional Kannada.

'PRIORITY TO ENSURE SMOOTH FLOW OF TRAFFIC'

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"IT is our priority to ensure a smooth flow of traffic in the city, but at the same time, police action such as towing of vehicles should not lead to harassment of the public. The present towing system will be stopped in Benglauru till a simplified system is introduced," Jnanendra added.

He said matters related to effective implementation of traffic rules and general complaints of the public against the traffic police too were discussed at the meeting. "After another round of discussion with the CM, the new towing system will be introduced," he added. On January 24, a traffic ASI attached to the Halasur Gate police station, who was on towing duty, had attacked a physically challenged woman and assaulted her after she allegedly hit him with a stone. While the ASI was suspended, the incident had also led to debates on the necessity of towing of vehicles and the harassment of the public by the police.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

03rd February : If you have kept up with the news, you'll know that we are now finding thousands of earth-like planets elsewhere in the galaxy. Our question is – do any of them support life like ours? One answer depends on whether they have moons, for it now seems that life on our planet may not exist without our Moon and the rhythmic movements it causes. I'll return to this in the future.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
The Moon adopts a friendly position, offering some respite from the generally hysterical nature of the times. Try to see the larger picture: perhaps there is something you can do to resurrect an overseas connection or safeguard the legal position.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
At least your financial situ-ation seems to be secure. Indeed, the pro-spect of increased prosp-erity, on however small a scale, may stand as a bea-con of light amidst these generally unstable and possibly ill-tempered times. People often get irritable when they sense that change is on the way, but it's just because they feel insecure, so be understanding.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Try to reach out and see how other people are feeling. What's needed is not only sympathy but empathy - the ability to tune into other people's emotions with compassion and understanding. Your romantic stars are pretty strong, by the way, so proceed with confidence.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
Because Mars is still in such a difficult alignment with a number of planets, people are prepared to fight their corner to the bitter end. Yet what they are defending is nothing but an illusion. Still, if it means something to them, then that's their prerogative.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
Meetings are liable to be stormy, so if important issues are at stake you may feel it is best to wait until later for a final verdict. Above all, there is nothing to be gained from forcing the pace. Let events unfold in their own good time and I think you'll be pleased with the results.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
You're in a strong position. Yet you may be unable to resist being embroiled in a series of strange and often unhelpful situations. Maintain your sense of humour and keep smiling throughout! A professional opportunity comes your way as a result of a colleague's goodwill.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Even if one particular venture or involvement falls apart at the seams, you must realise that in the astrological universe everything is for the best. Be ready to let go of the past for, if your planetary alignments mean anything, it's that you're ready to start building a bright future.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
So much depends on your ability to press ahead without co-operation. You are used to being thrown back on your own resources and you are well able to deal with anything that life may throw at you. You will soon see the upside of something which recently seemed so difficult.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
An emotional tie or attachment may now be viewed in a completely different light, yet the way you see things now may have no more real validity than did your former opinions. All are but different faces of the same wonderful, multi-faceted picture.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Challenging aspects to your special planets are not making it easy for you to keep existing enterprises going, let alone get long-term projects off the ground. Why not stop struggling and take some time off? I say that partly because you have so much to learn from mixing with new friends.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Forget about conventional answers to current dilemmas, whether your concerns are of a professional or a personal nature. Now it is time to implement the radical solutions which are your particular stock-in-trade. Just because other people are tied to convention, that doesn't mean that you should be as well.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Hopefully you are finding that the present situation is interesting without being in any way upsetting. With your deep understanding of the nature of reality you are better fitted than most people to dealing with challenging or obstructive conditions.

THE PHANTOM

YOU TALKED ABOUT A MONASTERY.... A MAN WHO TUTORS YOUR SON THERE....
YOU SAID A LOT OF FOREIGN-SOUNDING NAMES.
KYABJE DORJE.... NYAMJANG CHU MONASTERY.... ARUNACHAL PRADESH....
YES!
YES, YOU SAID THOSE WORDS TO SAVARNA!
YOU WANTED HER TO TELL DIANA EVERYTHING.
Falk
12/30

HI AND LOIS

BEETLE BAILEY

SARGE WORKED ME ALL DAY! I ACHE ALL OVER!
WELL, TAKE SOMETHING TO EASE THE PAIN
I'LL TAKE A CRUISE TO HAWAII!
CRUISE TICKETS
GREG HOWARD WALKER

BLONDIE

DID YOU HEAR? SOMEONE INVENTED THANKSGIVING-FLAVORED JELLY BEANS!!
YOU GOTTA BE KIDDING!
WOW! THAT'S INTERESTING!
UGH!
THE RED ONES TASTE LIKE CRANBERRY, THEY ALSO HAVE TURKEY, STUFFING AND GREEN BEAN-FLAVORED ONES, AND THE ORANGE ONES TASTE LIKE PUMPKIN PIE
WHO'D EVEN BUY THEM?
I HAVE ABSOLUTELY NO IDEA!
I'D LIKE TEN BAGS OF THE THANKSGIVING-FLAVORED JELLY BEANS!
DUDE?
DASHn&OUT

LOCKHORNS

DENNIS THE MENACE

SUDOKU

Evil: Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

6	3	4						
2			5		4			
		8	7	6				
	4	9						3
				5				
1						8	2	
				9	2	3		
			6		8			1
						4	8	9

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

3	7	1	6	8	9	4	2	5
9	5	4	1	7	2	6	8	3
2	8	6	3	5	4	1	7	9
4	3	7	9	2	1	5	6	8
6	1	2	8	3	5	9	4	7
8	9	5	7	4	6	2	3	1
5	6	3	4	1	7	8	9	2
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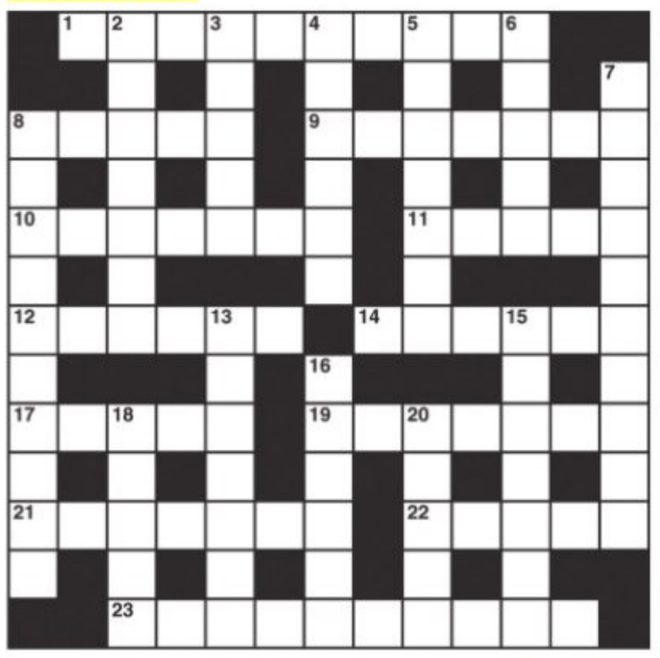
CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 It's exactly according to form (7,3)
8 Affixed in an unnatural way (3,2)
9 Attracted by a duller composition (7)
10 Scholar of French in spectacular trick (7)
11 Become left behind and react angrily (5)
12 Carry one writing symbols (6)
14 Cyril's transposing songs (6)
17 Beautiful woman with heavenly body (5)
19 A shade of grievance (7)
21 They're not often miscast in Westerns (7)
22 It was abnormally restricted in Victorian times (5)
23 Obstinate but brainy? (10)

DOWN
2 New test run charge (7)
3 Criminal may get cleared by a rider (5)
4 A chest designed in a pure style (6)
5 Drop the name of a scapegoat (4,3)
6 Trunk roots disturbed (5)
7 Teenager makes a fuss over the French perfume (10)
8 In a way pity is love really (10)
13 Mother hides a blemish with make-up (7)
15 What it means to a barman (7)
16 Patient caretakers (6)
18 Point of a thorn pulled out (5)
20 One showing respect for a secluded place? (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Nettle, 4 At home, 9 Tequila, 10 Piece, 11 Credo, 12 Abridge, 13 Cliffhanger, 18 Earnest, 20 Pumps, 22 Bathe, 23 Shunted, 24 Reacts, 25 Learns.

Down: 1 Notice, 2 Toque, 3 Laid off, 5 Taper, 6 Overdue, 7 Eleven, 8 Parachutist, 14 Loretta, 15 Neptune, 16 Berber, 17 Asides, 19 Erect, 21 Motor.

JUMBLE By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

CEETJ

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Do you mind switching it to the football game?
We just started watching our show. You'll love it!
It's about a football coach.
12/7
HE WANTED TO CHANGE THE CHANNEL TO WATCH THE GAME BUT DIDN'T HAVE A ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:**
YEAST WIPER DONKEY SIMMER
ANSWER: Mr. Twain predicted his latest story would be- come popular by saying – MARK MY WORDS

The third wave has forced as many as 35 schools to shut for a week in the last one month in Koppal district. The schools were forced to shut as 329 students and 88 teachers were infected with the virus. However, no severe Covid cases have been reported among the teachers and students.

Don't relax Covid norms in a hurry: WHO

More infectious Omicron sub-variant BA.2 dominant variant worldwide; Many countries yet to reach peak

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THE World Health Organisation has cautioned countries that are opening up to ease Covid-19 curbs at a slow pace, and also be ready to reinstate control measures if the need arises. A sub-variant of the fast-spreading and heavily mutated Omicron strain of the coronavirus, BA.2, has now been predicted to be even more infectious than the original version. It has been detected in as many as 57 countries and is becoming the dominant variant worldwide, infecting nearly 90 million people in only 10 weeks' time.

"Many countries are yet to reach their peak in cases of the highly infectious Omicron variant of the coronavirus, and several countries have a large number of the population unvaccinated. So now is not the time to lift everything all at once. We have always urged, always be very cautious, in applying interventions as well as lifting those interventions in a steady and slow way, piece by piece. Because this virus is quite dynamic," Maria Van Kerkhove, WHO's technical lead on Covid-19, said in an online briefing.

WHO's emergencies chief Mike Ryan, addressing the same briefing, said he feared that political pressure might result in some countries reopening their societies prematurely, leading to unnecessary further transmission of Covid-19 and deaths.

Swab samples collected from passengers arriving in the city on Wednesday | SHRIRAM BN

However, in India, the already circulating variant is BA.2 and experts say that several states are yet to peak. Dr Chandrakant Lahariya, vaccine policy expert and epidemiologist, says India will see a quiet gap of at least six months, after this wave. "It is highly unlikely that India will face another wave, like a few countries like South Africa and United Kingdom, where the original Omicron variant was dominating."

He says there will be a lull for few months, even if there is a new variant. However, he cautions that people cannot be careless which will help the virus mutate. "Following Covid-appropriate behaviour and expressing caution for a few more weeks is essential. Taking booster shots and both doses of the vaccines is the only way to prevent severity of the disease," said Dr Gopikrishna V, physician.

TRACKING COVID-19

DURATION OF PANDEMIC
1 YEAR, 330 DAYS

CASES REPORTED
Today: **20,505** | Yesterday: **14,366**

TALLY
Today: **38,44,338**
Yesterday: **38,23,833**

DEATHS	DISCHARGES
Today: **81**	Today: **40,903**
Yesterday: **58**	Yesterday: **60,914**

ACTIVE CASES
Today: **1,77,244**
Yesterday: **1,97,725**

POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
Today: **6.18%**	Today: **1.01%**
Yesterday: **6.16%**	Yesterday: **1.02%**

RECOVERY RATE Today: **94.37%** Yesterday: **93.80%**

DISTRICT-WISE COVID CASES
LAST 24 HOURS

Bengaluru Urban	**8,850**
Bengaluru Rural	**195**
Bagalkot	**303**
Ballari	**390**
Belagavi	**1,060**
Bidar	**190**
Chamarajanagar	**364**
Chikkaballapur	**311**
Chikkamagaluru	**89**
Chitradurga	**208**
Dakshina Kannada	**412**
Davanagere	**160**
Dharwad	**633**
Gadag	**131**
Hassan	**590**
Haveri	**411**
Kalaburagi	**337**
Kodagu	**543**
Kolar	**300**
Koppal	**220**
Mandya	**579**
Mysuru	**1,209**
Raichur	**165**
Ramanagara	**79**
Shivamogga	**715**
Tumakuru	**762**
Udupi	**542**
Uttara Kannada	**595**
Vijayapura	**92**
Yadgir	**70**

CAUTION!

State records 81 deaths, highest in single day

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WITH 81 new Covid-19 deaths reported on Wednesday, Karnataka saw its highest day-wise fatalities in the third wave, taking the state toll to 39,137.

The deaths were reported from Bengaluru (13), Dakshina Kannada (10), Mandya and Mysuru (6 each), Shivamogga and Tumakuru (5 each), Ballari, Bidar, Kalaburagi, Kolar (4 each), Udupi and Uttara Kannada (3 each), Belagavi, Bengaluru Rural, Chikkaballapur, Chikkamagaluru, Gadag, Dharwad, Koppal, Raichur, Ramanagara and Vijayapura (1 each).

All the deaths were either patients with Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI) or Influenza-Like Illness (ILI). They all suffered fever, cough or breathlessness. Many of them suffered co-morbidities such as diabetes, hypertension, chronic kidney disease and other illnesses. Four of the 81 patients died at their residence.

72% OF TEENS HAVE GOT FIRST DOSE IN K'TAKA

CHETANA BELAGERE @ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA has so far vaccinated 72 per cent of its 15-17 year population with the first dose, and since Monday, the state has vaccinated 1.91 per cent of its teens with the second dose. The Centre on Wednesday asked states to accelerate the second dose of Covid-19 vaccination for the 15-17 age group, stressing that progress should be reviewed at the state and district levels every day.

"We have been told to ensure there is a tailored communication strategy, focused at adolescent population and their caregivers, it should also be rolled out to make them aware about the timely completion of vaccination schedule and sustain their vaccine confidence," said Randeep D, Commissioner, Department of Health and Family Welfare. According to the department, 13 districts are yet to cross the state average of first-dose vaccination of this population. Interestingly, major districts like Bengaluru Urban (65%), Mysuru (67%) and Tumakuru (68%) are yet to pick up pace, with Raichur at 61% and Kalaburagi at 62%. Officials say that one of the reasons for cities to lag behind is the increase in Covid-19 cases, which had led to shifting to online classes in some schools and colleges. The district administration is hoping that with the reopening of schools and stationing of mobile vans outside campuses to attend to post-vaccination symptoms among students, inoculation numbers could pick up.

Meanwhile, agreeing that last-mile push is needed for any vaccination drive, Dr Randeep says officials on the ground say in some districts, a majority of this population has dropped out of schools and some have also shifted to their hometowns and villages. "We are trying to reach even those children who have joined their parents at work to support their families. Tracking children who are out of the formal education system is the challenge, but we are making plans and strategies to find them," Randeep explained.

Of the 22.78 lakh children vaccinated, Gadag has vaccinated 100 per cent of its eligible population.

VAXXING KIDS First dose (in %age)

DISTS ON TARGET		DISTS LAGGING	
Gadag	100	Raichur	61
Kodagu	98	Kalaburagi	62
Dakshina Kannada	84	Bengaluru Urban	65
Udupi	88	Bidar	65
Uttara Kannada	84	Chamarajanagar	65
Kolar	82	Yadgir	65
Bagalkot	81	Davanagere	66
Bengaluru Rural	78	Mysuru	67

Two brothers die of chickenpox, three others show symptoms

RAMKRISHNA BADSESHI
@ Kalaburagi

TWO children died and three others are under treatment for chickenpox symptoms at Nalwar Station thanda of Kalaburagi district.

Symptoms of chickenpox were found in the deceased, as well as three family members. Five other people from the locality are also suspected to have the same symptoms, Kalaburagi District Health Officer Dr Sharanabasappa Ganajalkhed and World Health Organisation's Surveillance Officer Dr Anil Kumar Talikote told TNIE on Wednesday.

Imran (8) died on January 17, and his brother Rehman (15) died on the night of January 30. Only after Rehman developed the same symptoms that Imran had, did the family members suspect it was a serious illness, and admitted him to a private hospital in Kalaburagi. On the advice of doctors of a private hospital, Rehman was taken to Solapur in Maharashtra, where he died. After the health department was alerted, a medical team went to Nalwar Station thanda and collected information on Monday. On Wednesday, the team and DHO Dr Ganajalkhed conducted house to house surveys of 241 houses in the thanda.

In the survey, three people, including Nafiza (13), Arman (6) and their mother Afiza Begum (32) were found to have symptoms of chickenpox, and were admitted to Gulbarga Insitute of Medical Sciences in Kalaburagi. Blood samples of five others with similar symptoms were sent to the National Institute of Virology (NIV), Bengaluru, for further investigation. All others in the village are healthy. Death due to chickenpox is rare, and the matter is being discussed with experts in GIMS and NIV, Dr Talikore said.

COVID BYTES

Third wave handled well, claims BBMP chief

BBMP Chief Commissioner Gaurav Gupta on Wednesday said the third Covid-19 wave has been managed successfully, and the focus will now be on probable upcoming waves of the pandemic. After holding a virtual meeting with the BBMP Covid-19 expert committee, he said aggressive active mobile triaging units, tele-triaging and doctors had helped bring down the number of cases. Over 3,000 Covid-positive patients in home isolation are being triaged every day, he added. "ICU admissions are being closely monitored," he said.

पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE (MoEF&CC)
हरित कौशल विकास कार्यक्रम
GREEN SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (GSDP)

In line with the Skill India Mission of Hon'ble Prime Minister, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) has been implementing Green Skill Development Programme (GSDP) under which different certificate courses/training programmes are being offered to skill unemployed youths and skill enthusiast above 18 years to create a green workforce in Environment Sector with sustainable livelihood opportunities. The GSDP certificate courses offered are as per the National Skill Qualification Framework (NSQF) of the National Skill Development Agency/ National Council of Vocational Education and Training, Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, Govt. of India.

ENVIS-RP-NBRI is conducting the following GSDP certificate courses in the year 2022:

Sl. No.	GSDP Courses Offered	No. of Seats	Duration of the course/ Number of Days	Minimum Educational Qualification	Desirable Qualification
1.	Pollution Monitoring: Soil Pollution	20	200 hrs / 30 Days	Graduate (Science/ Engineering)	Candidates with at least 60% marks in academic qualifications
2.	Greenbelt Development for Industries	30	200 hrs / 30 Days	Graduate (Science/ Engineering)	Candidates with at least 60% marks in academic qualifications

Interested Aspirants must apply online at http://gsdp-envis.gov.in/Default3.aspx

Last Date of Online Submission of Application: 21.02.2022

Venue: CSIR-National Botanical Research Institute (NBRI), Rana Pratap Marg, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh-226001

Note:
1. Programme is residential and free of cost boarding-lodging facility and training kit.
2. Courses are regular and fulltime.
3. The selection will be based on the screening done by a Screening Committee constituted by Director, NBRI.
4. Certificate from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India shall be awarded to those who successfully complete the GSDP Course.
5. The Candidates who have undergone any GSDP course already are not eligible.
6. **Dates of these Certificate Courses will be informed over the ENVIS-RP-NBRI Website and through email to screened-in candidates separately.**

For detailed information, please contact:
ENVIS-RP-NBRI URL for GSDP Certificate Courses:
http://nbrienvis.nic.in/Database/Courses_Offered_in_the_year_2022_14001.aspx
Website: http://nbrienvis.nic.in/ Email: nbri-env@nic.in Phone: 0522 – 2297979/2297824

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(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Avenue Road Branch
109-110, Avenue Plaza, Avenue Road, Bengaluru-560002
E-mail cb0402@canarabank.com

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Avenue Road Branch, 109-110, Avenue Plaza, Avenue Road, Bengaluru-560002,** under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **24.11.2021** calling upon the borrower/Guarantors/Mortgagors **1) M/s Kanchan Jewellers,** Represented by its proprietor. **Sri Prakash Raj H Purohit,** No.129, PID No.47-131-129, Anjaneya Temple Street Lingasettypet, Bengaluru-560002, and **2) Sri Prakash Raj H Purohit,** No.129, PID No.47-131-129, Anjaneya Temple Street Lingasettypet, Bengaluru-560002, and **3) Mrs. Kamala Devi Purohit,** W/o Prakash Raj H Purohit, No.129, PID No.47-131-129, Anjaneya Temple Street Lingasettypet, Bengaluru-560002, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs.1,49,29,586/-** (Rupees One Crore Forty Nine Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Eighty Six Only) as on **23.11.2021** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **01st day of February 2022.**

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs.1,49,29,586/-** (Rupees One Crore Forty Nine Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Eighty Six Only) as on **23.11.2021** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of the Property No.129, Old No.89, PID No.47-131-129, Anjaneya Temple Street, Dharmaraya Swamy Temple, BBMP Ward No.47, Bengaluru-560002, measuring East to West :39'9" and North to South : 13'3" Totally measuring 526.6 Sq. ft along with construction standing thereon and bounded on the: East by: Property of Benit, West by: House of Sukananadamurthy, North by: Private Property, South by: Anjaneya Temple Street.

Description of the Movable Property : Stock of the Jewellery Items.

Date : 01.02.2022
Place : Bengaluru
Sd/-Authorized Officer
Canara Bank

THE HOTEL INDUSTRIALISTS CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,
Regd. Office: "Sahakara Sourabha", No.234, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Chamarajapet, Bengaluru - 560 018. Phone: 080-26678329, 26612482, 41277283,
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Tender – cum – Auction Sale Notice

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorised Officer, **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd, Chamrajpet Bangalore** has taken possession of the mortgaged properties including those more fully described hereunder, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower	Description of Property and Boundaries & Measurement	Reserve Price and EMD	Balance Outstanding Amount to be paid to Bank	Date & Time of opening tender & place of auction
		DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY			
1.	**1) Mr. Venkatesh K N** S/o Late K N N Iyengar Office No.75, 2nd Floor, Dr. Rajkumar Road, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore. Also at: 82/1, 1st Floor, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Bangalroe-560021. **2) Mrs. Kureti Vijaya Durga** W/o K Srinivasa Rao No.768, Begur Hongasandra, MICO Layout, Garvebhavi Palya, Bangalore-560058.	All that part and parcel of the Industrial Land Property bearing Plot **No.181-B,** Bommasandra Grama Panchayath Katha **N.169/181-B,** Bommasandra Industrial Area, formed in Survey **No.270,** situated at Bommasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore-560099 and in measuring East to West (75.40+77.40)/2 meters and North to South (11.00+20.20) meters, in all measuring **1177.40 square meters.** Bounded By : East : Plot No.178, West : Road, North : Plots Nos. 180 and 181, South : Private Land. **Built Area: About GF=2099 sq. ft. with RCC Roofing**	**Rs.3,62,86,258/-** (Rupees Three Crore Sixty Two Lakhs Eighty Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Eight Only) **EMD: Rs.36,28,626/-** (Rupees Thirty Six Lakhs Twenty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Six Only)	**Rs. 5,38,15,282/-** (Rupees Five Crore Thirty Eight Lakhs Fifteen Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Two Only) as on **28/02/2021**	**18/02/2022 at 11.30 AM The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd Chamrajpet Bangalore**

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: - 1. The Tender form can be collected from **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., "Sahakara Sourabha" No.234, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Chamarajapet, Bengaluru-560018. (ph. 080-41277283)** on all working days during office hours. **2.** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore-** payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender – cum – Auction Sale Notice. **3.** Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore** latest by **17.02.2022 before 5.00 P M.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected. **4. The property "SHALL NOT"** be sold below the reserve price. 5.In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **6.** The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **7.** The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorised Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **11.30 AM on 18.02.2022, 8.** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorised Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **9.** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **10.** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **11.** The Authorised Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **12.** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **13.** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between 10.00 AM and -5.00PM at his expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **14.** The property is put for sale on **"AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION".** The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property.

For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer, The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore "Sahakara Sourabha" No.234, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Chamarajapet, Bengaluru-560018, for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property (Contact No.080-41277283) E-Mail: ho@hicbank.com

Date: 02.02.2022
Place: Bangalore
Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd.

KARNATAKA HOUSING BOARD
3rd Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, K.G. Road, Bengaluru - 560009.

Short Term Tender Notification (Through E-Procurement portal)

Karnataka Housing Board invite tender from the eligible contractors who are empanlled in Karnataka Housing Board through E-procurement.

Development of Sites & Services Scheme in Block 1 to 4 and block 7 to 12 & Approach roads, Construction of retaining walls, Box culverts & Mother drain at Suryanagar 4th phase, Anekal taluk, Bengaluru Urban district for the below mentioned works.

Last date for submission of bid (for all works) : 15-02-2022 up to 4.00 PM

Sl.No.	Place of work
1	Sites & Services Scheme in block1A & construction of retaining walls and box culverts (additional work) block-1. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 907 & IFT No. 178, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.16,10,45,600/-.
2	Construction of retaining walls and box culverts (additional work) block-2. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 898 & IFT No. 170, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.14,47,20,557/-.
3	Construction of retaining walls and box culverts (additional work) block- 3 & 4. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 899 & IFT No. 171, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.9,23,04,329/-.
4	Construction of retaining walls and box culverts (additional work) block-7. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 900 & IFT No. 172, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.4,51,17,772/-.
5	Construction of retaining walls and box culverts (additional work) block-8. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 901 & IFT No. 173, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.14,71,89,647/-.
6	Construction of retaining walls and box culverts (additional work) block-9. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 902 & IFT No. 174, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.14,20,01,009/-.
7	Sites & Services Scheme in block 10A & construction of retaining walls (additional work) block-10. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 908 & IFT No. 179, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.11,85,74,507/-.
8	Construction of retaining walls, box culverts and mother drain (additional work) block-11. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 904 & IFT No. 175, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.3,63,47,838/-.
9	Construction of retaining walls, box culverts and mother drain (additional work) block-12. **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 905 & IFT No. 176, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.4,91,66,597/-.
10	Construction of retaining walls to approach road (additional works). **Work Indent & IFT Number :** KHB/2021-22/OW/WORK_INDENT 906 & IFT No. 177, Date: 31.01.2022, **Amount put to tender :** Rs.3,86,36,178/-.

For further information, contact below mentioned office address : Executive Engineer, Karnataka Housing Board, Cauvery Bhavan, Bengaluru Phone No. 080-22273511/080-22100077 web site : https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
Karnataka Housing Board, Bengaluru

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Congress MLA Yathindra, son of Siddaramaiah, lashed out at BJP MLC AH Vishwanath for his remarks against his father. "Vishwanath has no importance in the BJP. He is commenting on the Congress for political gains," he said.

CM holds meetings, stresses on growth , transparency

To begin pre-budget consultations next week after returning from Delhi

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CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Wednesday said that he has started preparations for his maiden budget, to be presented in the first week of March. He will be holding department-wise pre-budget meetings starting next week. "In a day or two, we will get a clear picture on how much funds Karnataka has got in the Union Budget for different projects. Considering that, work on the state budget will commence," Bommai told reporters here.

On Wednesday morning, the Chief Minister's office had fixed meetings with various departments starting from February 7.

"The Chief Minister was hoping to get an appointment to meet party central leaders on Thursday and he had scheduled state budget meetings from February 7. But now, he will be visiting Delhi only on Monday (February 7). As a result, state budget meetings have been deferred and will begin from next week," CMO sources said.

Bommai said his government will draft the budget based on the loans and grants given to Karnataka by the Centre. "Once we get the details, we will decide on the schemes and projects to be implemented in Karnataka," he added.

The CM also held back-to-back meetings on Wednesday. He instructed PWD officials to prepare a Detailed Project Report (DPR) for resurfacing of 1008 km of state highways which have completed their life span. These highways were developed by KSHIP, SHDP and KRDL.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and other BJP leaders listen to Prime Minister Narendra Modi's address to BJP workers, in Bengaluru on Wednesday

Bommai issued instructions for road projects to be prepared as per requirement and traffic density and added that funds should be utilised optimally. He also directed the officials to prepare a uniform rate chart for all the building materials being used in government buildings which will apply to all the engineering departments under the PWD. He also instructed the officials to take up work on the first phase of Karnataka Boarding Complex at Srisailam in Andhra Pradesh at a cost of Rs 45 crore.

The CM, who also reviewed the performance of the Forest Department, decided to constitute a committee headed by the Chief Secretary to accord Forest Department clearances for various projects. The committee will have the Additional Chief Secretary, Forest Department, Chief Conservator of Forests, Deputy Conservator of Forests and district-level officers as its members.

The CM instructed the officials to assess the environmental losses suffered in the state over the last five years based on the report by the Institute of Social and Economic Change (ISEC). Programmes should be drawn up to compensate for these losses and an 'Environment Budget' should be prepared, he said.

While stressing on creating awareness about agro-forestry, he said funds provided for command area development could be used for the purpose. He also instructed officials to built railway barricades to avoid man-animal conflict and also to prevent destruction of crops and loss of lives.

> **In a day or two, we will get a clear picture on how much funds Karnataka has got in the Union Budget for different projects. Considering that, work on the state budget will commence**
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> Basavaraj Bommai, Chief Minister

Govt clears 88 projects, claims will create 10K jobs

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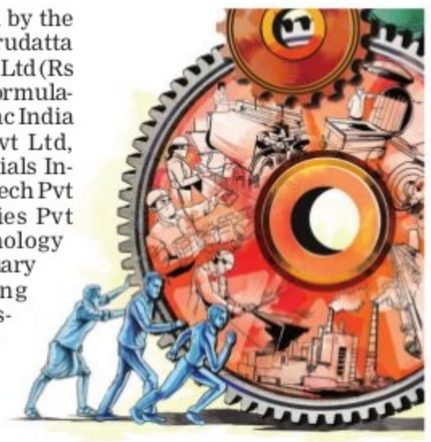
IN a big push to create employment opportunities by attracting investment, the state government cleared 88 industrial projects worth Rs 2,367.99 crore with a potential to create 10,904 jobs.

The State-Level Single Window Clearance Committee (SLSWCC) meeting chaired by Industries Minister Murugesh R Nirani cleared the investment proposals that included seven large and medium-sized industrial projects with an investment of over Rs 50 crore each that are expected to create employment opportunities for 3,237 people. Another 78 projects with an investment of more than Rs 15 crore and less than Rs 50 crore would provide employment to 7,667 people and three more projects worth Rs 137.15 crore in total were also approved at the meeting, stated a note issued from the minister's office on Wednesday.

The projects cleared by the government are - Gurudatta Integrated Textile Park Ltd (Rs 357 crore), Spansules Formulations (Rs 96 crore); Rinac India Ltd, Sunvik Steels Pvt Ltd, H&V Advanced Materials India Pvt Ltd, A One Textech Pvt Ltd, Texport Industries Pvt Ltd and Kaynes Technology India Pvt Ltd. On January 6, the SLSWCC meeting had approved 87 industrial projects worth Rs 4,236.26 crore with a potential to generate over 12,000 jobs.



PM Modi in Shivamogga dist on April 24

SHIVAMOGGA: Prime Minister Narendra Modi will visit Shivamogga district on April 24 to take part in the Panchayat Raj Diwas programme. Confirming this to The New Indina Express, RDPR Minister K S Eshwarappa said that modi will visit Holaluru village on April 24 to inaugurate a solid-waste management unit and other programmes. The PMO has sought several details from the district administration, including the route best suited for the PM's convoy and other security-related arrangements. This would be Modi's first visit to the district since 2018. "MGNREGA programmes have achieved more than 100% target. The Centre has sanctioned additional funds towards more number of human days generated during 2020-21 and 2021-22," Eshwarappa said.

Playgrounds to be developed in rural areas under MNREGS

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THOUGH the Union Government has cut back funding for MNREGS by 25 per cent, the Karnataka Government is now taking up work on developing playgrounds in each panchayat under the scheme. This is being done to encourage youths to take up sports, especially in rural areas. Playgrounds will be developed in an area of one to five acres.

So far, road laying, lake and stepwell rejuvenation and such other works were being taken up under the scheme by the Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (RDPR) Department.

Now, the RDPR Department and the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports (DYES) have issued a joint circular stating that while drafting the annual projects, gram panchayats can include development of playgrounds with MNREGS funds as well as 2 per cent of DYES funds which is available with the RDPR department. Playgrounds can be developed in one acre to five acres land, depending on the land available, and this should be maintained by the physical education teachers of local government schools and colleges. The circular mentions 20 points/activities including playground development.

The circular notes that the DYES director and 2-3 coaches might not be able to reach out at the gram panchayat level to train youths in sports and may not be able to attend tri-monthly meetings of the gram panchayats. Hence, local organisations identified by DYES can attend the meetings. The panchayats will have to organise various sports events and training in various sports for local youths. Health and other camps can also be organised in association with the National Service Scheme, it added.

> **Playgrounds can be developed in 1-5 acres land, depending on the land available, and this should be maintained by the physical education teachers of local government schools and colleges**
>
> Circular

CM to meet state MPs in Delhi

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AT the same time, Bommai's recent allocation of districts too has not gone down well with the majority of the ministers as they have not been given charge of their home districts. This was explained away as the decision of the central party leadership.

Bommai refused to respond to journalists' queries on the cabinet expansion coming up for discussion during his Delhi visit. "I don't want to discuss it openly," he said. During his visit, which will be his seventh in the last seven months since he took charge as chief minister, Bommai said he will hold meetings with MPs from the state. "It has been a tradition for the chief minister to meet state MPs during the budget session of Parliament," he clarified.

"I will also meet legal experts to discuss inter-state river water disputes and the Mekedatu reservoir project," he added.

Ibrahim to resign as MLC on Feb 14, set to launch ALINGA movement

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

FORMER Union Minister CM Ibrahim, who has announced his resignation from the Congress, said he will resign from the post of Legislative Council member on February 14. Ibrahim, a veteran minority leader, felt he was undermined in the party after MLC BK Hariprasad was appointed Leader of the Opposition in the Council.

Ibrahim told the media in Mysuru on Wednesday that he would launch an 'ALINGA' movement to bring Lingayats and Backward Classes/Dalit communities together under one umbrella to counter friend-turned-foe Siddaramaiah's AHINDA (Kannada acronym for Minorities, Backward Classes and Dalits) movement. ALINGA is a Kannada acronym for minorities and Veerashaiva-Lingayats.

Clarifying that he will not launch a new political outfit, Ibrahim said he will join an existing party as he has friends in the BJP, JDS and other parties. "I have bid good bye to the Congress... Self-respect is more important to me than power," he said. Claiming he had the support of 19 Congress MLCs, Ibrahim said his name was recommended for the post of Opposition Leader, but was changed overnight. "AICC general secretary KC Venugopal later said they appointed a person who was recommended by the state unit," Ibrahim said, charging the Congress with denying him the post as he is not a moneybag, and as he is a Muslim.

Former Union minister and MLC CM Ibrahim addresses the media in Mysuru on Wednesday | UDAYASHANKAR S

He also hit out at the BJP government for neglecting minorities. "The government has earmarked Rs 30,000 crore for 20 per cent Dalit population, and a mere Rs 7,000 crore for 21 per cent minorities," he thundered.

Recalling that he, along with former Congressman and present BJP MLC AH Vishwanath and former Speaker Ramesh Kumar, had prevailed upon Siddaramaiah to introduce Anna Bhagya scheme during his tenure as chief minister, Ibrahim said he was instrumental in ensuring that Siddaramaiah fought from Badami, after sensing his loss from Chamundeshwari constituency, in 2018.

"I want to know who -- Siddaramaiah or DK Shivakumar -- denied me the post," Ibrahim said, reiterating that he will not return even if he is offered a plum post. He declared that the Congress would not win the 2023 Assembly polls.

He is planning a mega rally in Davanagere or the Mumbai-Karnataka region. "I will also tour Kalaburagi, Bidar and Raichur, and set the tone for a political revolution by organising minorities, Lingayats and Vokkaligas," he claimed.

MEETING WITH DKS NOTHING TO DO WITH POLITICS: ANAND SINGH

V VELAYUDHAM @Chikkaballapur

AFTER eyebrows were raised over Tourism Minister Anand Singh's recent meeting with KPCC president D K Shivakumar, he came out on Wednesday to "clarify" that it was a "courtesy call" and that no politics was discussed.

Addressing the media here, Singh said, "It was a casual meeting. It was nothing to do with politics. We discussed other issues." On speculation about his jumping ship, Anand Singh said former CM B S Yediyurappa had acted on his assurance of carving out the Vijayanagara district and allotted sufficient funds for development works. "There is no question of me joining a different party," he stressed.

Tourism Minister Anand Singh inspects Nandi Hills on Wednesday

Referring to development works at tourist places, he said it had slowed down due to the pandemic. More attention will be given to the popular destination Nandi Hills, particularly towards creating more facilities, he said.He pointed out that several development works are already being taken up at Hampi, Halebeedu, Belur, Badami and other places. When he sought suggestions from media persons, issues such as drinking water facilities and proper restrooms were highlighted. On the proposed ropeway project and its impact on the local environment, the minister said the work will be taken up keeping all aspects in mind.On a lighter note, Singh recalled that he was visiting Nandi Hills after 30 years, when he was accompanied by his wife.

Asked about his daughter's rumoured entry into politics, he said, "She has to learn more. It is very rare that women from my family enter politics." However, with a smile, he added that a decision will be taken after considering all aspects.

'Recognition to Hoysala temples matter of pride to K'taka'

Hassan: Expressing happiness over Hoysala temples being sent for nomination for world Heritage Site tag, former prime minister H D Deve Gowda said it will be a matter of great pride to Karnataka and especially to the people of Hassan. Gowda has written to PM Narendra Modi and urged him to direct the Archeological Survey of India to consider submitting documents for the Hoysala temples to UNESCO as the main nomination dossier. "Since the Hoysala dossier was submitted as a reserve nomination last year, the document is already with UNESCO and further, preliminary review has already been done and also received good feedback from ASI last year," he said.

Yatnal says BSY era over, major changes by Ugadi

ENS @ Belagavi

FORMER Union Minister and Vijayapura City MLA **Basanagouda Patil Yatnal** on Wednesday said the era of former chief minister BS Yediyurappa is over, and there is a need for a second-rung leadership to be nurtured in Karnataka.

He was addressing the media on the sidelines of an meeting of the Akhila Bharata Panchamasali Samaja in Belagavi. "Just like Narendra Modi was the only choice for the BJP after Vajpayee, there is a need for such a dynamic leadership in Karnataka, as the Yediyurappa era has ended. This applies to some senior members of the Cabinet too," he said, adding that the BJP high command is working to bring the party back to power in 2023 by forming a "good team". Yatnal said he had expected changes in state politics by Sankranti. "It did not happen, but changes will happen by Ugadi, in a few months," he added. "I have never sought a ministerial berth. I have faith that the party will give me a big role in the next elections."

On his meetings with Gokak MLA Ramesh Jarkiholi, Yatnal said, "I met him at his residence for lunch. He visited my home for lunch. He wants to stay in the BJP. We have decided to resolve all minor issues and work together to strengthen the party."

WORK MATTERS

Siddaramaiah back in thick of politics after resort break

BANSY KALAPPA
@ Bengaluru

OPPOSITION leader in the Assembly, Siddaramaiah, who took some time off along with his old friends at a resort in the Kabini backwaters in HD Kote taluk, returned to his residence in Bengaluru on Wednesday evening.

During his stay, Siddaramaiah was accompanied by Congress leaders Dr H C Mahadevappa, H P Manjunath and K Venkatesh. Several others too had called on him.

In videos and photographs shared widely on social media, he was seen enjoying a boat ride and the sights of nature, and also taking long walks in the resort.

While political watchers wondered if Siddaramaiah was unwinding before the special session of the legislature later this month, others speculated that he was seeking to revitalise the third front along with another prominent leader, B S Yediyurappa.

CLP leader Siddaramaiah (third from right) takes a stroll at a resort near Mysuru along with his close associates

After Bharatiya Janata Party leader Basanagouda Patil Yatnal's remark that Siddaramaiah was on his way out of the Congress, rumour mills have been speculating that Siddaramaiah may join hands with Yediyurappa and they will contest the next Assembly polls together.

Siddaramaiah's supporters have, however, rubbished such a possibility and said it was a canard spread by the RSS and some of his detractors within the Congress.

Some political observers also pointed out that leaders who started their own political outfits have suffered and were relegated to the sidelines. They cited the examples of the KCP of former Chief Minister S Bangarappa, the KJP of former CM Yediyurappa, the Kannada Nadu Party of businessman Vijay Sankeshwar, Janata Party of Vijay Mallya, Lok Shakti party of former CM Ramakrishna Hegde, Kranti Ranga of former CM Devaraj Urs, and questioned, "Why will Siddaramaiah do something so risky, that too when he is 75 and Yediyurappa is 80?"

Differences in Cong won't affect poll prospects: Satish

CHITRADURGA: KPCC working president Satish Jarkiholi on Wednesday said there could be differences between CLP leader Siddaramaiah and KPCC president DK Shivakumar. "But it will not affect the party's prospects in future elections," he added. Congress is a party that believes in internal democracy and such differences are common. Groupism is not limited to Congress, but is rampant in JDS and BJP too, he added. "Any problems arising out of factions will be settled by the party high command," he said. ENS

Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin on Wednesday wrote to 37 leaders of state and national parties, including AICC president Sonia Gandhi, and invited them to nominate representatives to establish the All India Federation for Social Justice, an initiative being driven by DMK to protect the interests of the oppressed in the country

Union minister takes KCR to task

Says Telangana CM was trying to peddle half truths and lies over the Union Budget

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Hyderabad

UNION Minister for Tourism **G Kishan Reddy** has come down like a tonne of bricks on Chief Minister K Chandrasekhar Rao for using profane language and scurrilous insinuations while referring to Prime Minister Narendra Modi and for trying to peddle half truths and lies on the funds and projects sanctioned by the Centre for Telangana.

In a point-by-point rebuttal of the issues that the Chief Minister had raised at his media conference on Tuesday, where he expressed his opinion on the Union Budget, Kishan Reddy also questioned what respect he had for women when he spoke derisively about even Finance Minister Nirmala Sitaraman for quoting from Mahabharata to describe the basic theme of Budget. The Union Minister also slamdunked the KCR for mooting the idea of rewriting the Constitution of India.

He clarified that the Chief Minister's statement that there was a cut in the Budget allocations for subsidy on fertilisers only reflected his ignorance. He said that though Budget allocation for 2021-22 for the subsidy was ₹79,529 crore, it was later revised to ₹1,40,000 crore, when the international prices for raw materials had gone up.

Allocation of ₹1.05 lakh crore in the 2022-23 Budget meant a hike of 33 per cent over the last year's initial allocation, he noted.

OFFICIALS EXPOSED

SASI GOT CELL, BED, COOK, CONFIRMS PROBE

ACB filed charges after govt sanction

YATHIRAJU @Bengaluru

THE probe conducted by the Anti Corruption Bureau (ACB) revealed that the then Superintendents of Central Prisons in Bengaluru, Krishna Kumar and Dr R Anitha, facilitated preferential treatment to former Tamil Nadu Chief Minister J Jayalalithaa's aide V K Sasikala and her sister in law J Ilavarasi, while they were serving their sentence in the prison in a multi-crore disproportionate assets case.

Interestingly, the then DGP of Prisons, IPS officer H N Sathyanarayana Rao was not found guilty.

The state government had appointed former IAS officer Vinay Kumar as Inquiry Officer after receiving a complaint over giving preferential treatment to AIADMK leader V K Sasikala at Central Prison.

Accepting the report submitted by Kumar, the government ordered the ACB to register a case under the Prevention of Corruption Act and conduct a probe into the allegations that Rs 2 crore was taken by Sathyanarayana Rao to continue the preferential treatment for Sasikala. Accordingly, the ACB had registered the crime in 2018.

During the investigation, the ACB prima facie found that Rao was not guilty. Hence, the ACB sought sanction from the state government to prosecute Krishna Kumar, accused no 1, presently serving Chief Superintendent of the Central Prison in Belagavi, and Dr R Anitha, accused no 2, presently serving as Deputy Director, Karnataka Prisons Academy, Bengaluru, under the provisions of IPC and Prevention of Corruption Act.

In response, state government sought clarifications from the ACB into the allegations against the accused officials.

The ACB disclosed its probe findings that Krishna Kumar issued an official order to favour them. Though there was no directions from the Intelligence Department about any life threat to Sasikala, Anitha was appointed exclusively to provide security to her.

Sasikala was kept independently from other convicts and provided a women's section with five cells. Convicts were also allowed to prepare food for her. A cot and bed was provided to her in addition to ensuring more time than specified for her visitors.

Though Krishna Kumar was aware of all these special privileges, he neither reported this to higher officials nor to the government.

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THE ACB counsel submitted that the investigating agency filed the chargesheet before the competent court on January 7, 2022 after the state government granted the sanction. The PIL was filed by KS Gita, a social worker and educationist from Alwarpet in Chennai, requesting the court to issue directions to the authorities for a final report on alleged corruption that led to Sasikala and Ilavararasi getting a preferential treatment at the prison. They were serving their term in a multi-crore corruption case involving Jayalalithaa.

The petitioner sought a detailed report on the findings submitted by retired IAS officer Vinay Kumar and claimed that no final report on the investigation was submitted. The high court on January 28, 2022, stayed the sanction granted by the state government against Anitha after hearing her petition that there were no allegations against her.

Forest dept clears doubts over fire lines

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

AFTER completing the tiger census in two prime tiger reserves of India — Bandipur and Nagarhole Tiger Reserves — the Karnataka forest department has started the exercise of creating fire lines, with controlled burning, which has been mistaken by many activists as forest fire. So instead of spending time and energy on creating fire lines, the forest officials were busy on clearing doubts on whether or not it was forest fire.

"Due to the prolonged monsoon period and presence of moisture, the exercise of creating fire lines was delayed to January and February the from usual November-December," said Nagarhole Tiger Reserve Director Mahesh Kumar.

In case of Bandipur, images were being circulated on social media with messages that the forest is on fire and many tigers have died. Chief Conservator of forests, Bandipur Tiger Reserve, V Karikalan said, "This is not true. Controlled burning has been done all along the road sides. No wildlife death has been reported."

Hijab row hits another college in Udupi

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Udupi

CLOSE on the heels of the hijab row at a Women's Government PU College in Udupi, some students of Government PU College in the neighboring town of Kundapur came to the college wearing saffron shawls on Wednesday. This is in protest against some women students wearing hijab despite the dress code. It is said that 28 Muslim girl students used to attend classes wearing headscarves as per their religious customs.

More than 100 boys belonging to Hindu community came to attend classes wearing saffron shawls. As the issue became a controversy, Kundapur MLA Halady Srinivas Shetty, who is the president of the college development committee, arrived at the scene and tried to convince both sides not to vitiate the academic ambience on the campus.

Students wearing saffron shawls at the Government PU College in Kundapur

However, Muslim girl students and their parents who attended the meeting chaired by the MLA were firm on their decision to wear headscarves and Hindu boys also said they would continue to wear the saffron shawl until headscarves are banned inside the classrooms.

Parents of the Muslim girls during the meetaing with the MLA argued that their wards were coming and attending the classes wearing headscarves since beginning of the academic year. Suddenly forcing them not to wear headscarves will not be accepted, they said, claiming wearing headscarves is their fundamental right.

CRIME PATROL

Notorious rowdy held, valuables worth Rs 60 lakh recovered

Bengaluru: The Girinagar police have arrested a notorious rowdy for committing burglaries and recovered valuables worth Rs 60 lakh. The accused has been identified as Narasimha Reddy (32), a resident of Hosakerehalli. Police said the accused has had a criminal past for the last 12-13 years and was involved in murder, attempt to murder, robbery, extortion, kidnap, and other cases, including two double-murders. "He was arrested on several occasions in the past and was released on bail about a year ago. After getting out of jail, he continued committing burglaries. **ENS**

Alert guards nab footwear thief in apartment, 3 others escape

Bengaluru: Two security guards nabbed one of the four thieves who had entered an apartment to steal footwear. The incident took place in the wee hours of January 27 in Immadihalli, Whitefield. Guards Jagat Bohra and Padam Bohra found through the CCTV that four men were moving suspiciously in a corridor around 1.30 am. The guards went to check and found them stealing footwear left outside the flats. On seeing the guards, the miscreants pelted stones at them and threatened them with a knife. While three managed to escape, the guards nabbed one -- Ayynar S Raju, a habitual offender. **ENS**

Minister slams Cong MP over textbook row

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AT the end of the investigation, there was a collective sigh of relief in the government, and especially in the Education Department, as it was found out that it was not a government-issued textbook and it was not included in any syllabus from Classes 1 to 10.

Both Nagesh and Suresh Kumar were quick to hit back at the Bengaluru Rural MP. "The 'page', mentioned in the tweet is not a Karnataka state government textbook. It is clear that your only purpose is to criticize the RSS rather than detect errors," Nagesh said.

Suresh Kumar further added that the MP's statement was objectively wrong. "This is a privately published textbook from Hubballi titled 'Anchayenna'," he clarified, putting the matter to rest.

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE ADDL. JUDGE COURT OF SMALL CAUSES (SCCH-21) AT BANGALORE
S.C.NO.15079 / 2021

BETWEEN : SMT. C. PREMA, ...Plaintiff
NO.3, Spencer Road, Bangalore - 560005 .
AND : SRI. JOHN MOSES, No.4, Ground Floor, 6th Cross, Hutchins Road, St.Thomas Street, Bangalore - 560084. ...Defendant

SUMMONS TO THE DEFENDANT .

Whereas the plaintiff above named has filed a suit for Eviction, you are hereby summoned to appear before the Hon'ble XVII Additional Judge, Court of small causes, at Bangalore (SCCH - 21) in S.C.No.15079/ 2021 either in person or through a pleader duly instructed on **04-03-2022, at 11'0' clock,** to answer the same, failing which the said suit will be heard and decided ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court, this **29th day of January 2022.**

By Order Of The Court, Court of small Causes Bangalore Mayo hall Unit.

Advocate for Plaintiff
SMT. V. GANGA BAI, VGB ASSOCIATES,
Bungalow No.3, Jayamahal Palace Hotel, No.1, Jayamahal Road, Bangalore - 560046.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to the General Public that under the instructions from my client Sri Anantharaju S/o Hanumaiah @ Sukumaraiah and Smt Hemalatha W/o Anantharaju residing at No 86, Indiranagara, Nelamangala had entered into an registered agreement of sale in respect of property bearing Sy No 51/4 and new Sy no 51/9 measuring 0.01 3/4 guntas situated at Nelamangala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, bounded on East by : Remaining property, West by : Gowar Taj property in Sy no 51/1, Northy by : Remaining Property of others South by ; Remaining property 15 feet Road on 13.1.2014, vide Document No 11426 of Book I in favour of one Smt. Thabasuma W/o Sadiq Pasha, Billar Alisha Compound, Adepete, Nelamangala Town and the same has been cancelled today i.e. on 3.2.2022 and as such not to deal any transact with her.

NANJUNDEGOWDA, V
Advocate
No 45/1, I Floor, Nanjappa Blg. Adur, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore-49

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **SMT.NARAYANAMMA** is the owner of immovable property mentioned in the schedule hereunder and she has lost the original 1) Sale Deed dated 24/04/2006 bearing Document No.421 / 2006-07, Book-I, stored in CD No.107, executed by Bangalore Development Authority represented by its Smt.B.M.Hemavathi in favour of Smt.T.Narayanamma registered in the office of sub registrar, Additional District Registrar, BDA, Bangalore Urban District, 2) Possession Certificate dated 25/04/2006 issued by Bangalore Development Authority in the name of Smt.T.Narayanamma 3) Khatha Certificate dated 25/04/2006 issued by Bangalore Development Authority in the name of Smt.T.Narayanamma, pertaining to the schedule property. In case anybody is in possession of the said document, the same shall be handover to the undersigned within **SEVEN DAYS** from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Site No.98, situated at 4th 'B' Block, Banashankari 6th Stage, Bangalore, measuring east to west 12 meters and north to south 9 meters, totally measuring 108 Square meters and bounded on:
East by : Site No.127, **West by :** Road,
North by : Site No.97, **South by :** Site No.99

N. JAGADEESH KUMAR, Advocate, No.276, 2nd Floor, 1st Main Road, Chamarajpet, Bangalore-560018.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **SMT. K.V. SHOBHA** Wife of L.K.Nagaraj residing at No.80, 2nd Main, Sadananda Nagar, NGEF Layout, Indiranagar, Bengaluru-560038, has entered into an agreement of sale agreeing to purchase the property described in schedule below from Sri.B.Shankar son of Late.T.S.Bylappa for valuable consideration. If any person/persons have got any right or interest or claim over the schedule property may submit their claim with supporting documents with the undersigned within **7 days** from the date of issue of this public notice. If no claims are received before the said period, my client will proceed to conclude the transaction presuming that the property is free from encumbrance and my client will not be accountable later.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of Vacant site No. 124,(having BBMP Katha No.189/180/ 157/124) situated at Chowdeshwari Ward 2, formed out of converted land in Sy.No.80 of Puttenahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 80 feet and North to South 38 feet, totally measuring 3040 Sq. feet bounded on: **East by :** Doddaballapura Main Road **West by :** Property No.123, **North by :** Property No.125, **South by :** Private Property

SRI. GAJENDRA .G.M, Advocate,
No. 421/1, 13th Cross, Seethappa Layout, Cholanayakanahalli, R.T.Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032

Government of Karnataka
Public Works Department, Udupi Division, Udupi. (PIU)
Website : **https://www.kpwd.gov.in** **Email:eeudp@kpwd.gov.in**
No. EE/PWD/UDN/NIT/59/2021-22/AE-2 **Dated: 29.01.2022**

Tender Notice

The Tender for the following works are invited through e-procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka (Viz.www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in) Last date for Submission of tender in Eprocurement: **11.02.2022,** Eligible Tenderer: **Class - 3 & Above**

Sl. No.	Name of work	Amount put to tender (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD (in Rs.)
1	Improvements to Campan Govind Bangera House to SC Colony Road in Neere Village, Karkala Taluk. (147292)	62.42	1,24,850.00
2	Improvements for Bare to Minaje ST Colony Road in Idu Village, Karkala Taluk. (147294)	53.11	1,06,300.00

DIPR/ADU/MCA/609/21-22 dt.02.02.2022
Sd/- Executive Engineer, Public Works Dept, Udupi Division, Udupi

Karnataka Food & Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd.
(Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
No.16/I, Millers Tank Bed Area, Vasanthnagar, Bengaluru-560 052.
Ph.: 080-22200660, Fax:080-22266299/22096688
e-mail: admnkfcsc123@yahoo.com / info@kfcsc.com
No.: KFCSC/LEGAL/DIS/10/2021-22 Date: 03.02.2022

NOTIFICATION

Sri B.S. Rajashekhar, working as Junior Assistant in Karnataka Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., Mandya District, is unauthorised absent from **21.11.20219 till date.** A missing complaint has been filed by the family of Sri B.S. Rajashekhar in Maddur Police Station and has been not found yet. Hence, this notice is served through this daily to Sri B.S. Rajashekhar, Junior Assistant to report to the duty within 15 days from the date of this notification. Else, action will be initiated as per the rules of the corporation.

Sd/- Managing Director

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
Office of the Executive Engineer Public Works Department Mangaluru Division Mangaluru
Ref :-PWD:DIV:MAG :TND(57E) :2021-22 :JE-2 : **Dated : 01.02.2022.**

SHORT-TERM E-TENDER NOTIFICATION

On behalf of Government of Karnataka, The Executive Engineer, PWD, Divn. Mangaluru invities Tender in Two Cover bids under E-tendering system through http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in portal from eligible Tenderers in accordance with KTTP Act for the Head of account :- 8443 Deposit Contribution to Indent No. 145223 (Estimate Amount Rs.200.00 Lakhs), Head of account :- 5054 TSP to Indent No 147011 (Estimate Amount Rs.165.48 Lakhs)) & Head of account :- 3054 SH Indent No 146242 (Estimate Amount Rs.150.00 Lakhs) Last date for reciept of tender : **14.02.2022 upto 16.00Hours.**

Tender document may downloaded from the e-procurement portal of the government of Krarnataka Viz. **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in.**

DIPR/MNG/MCA/828/21-22 dt.02.02.2022 **Sd/- Executive Engineer**

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of the Executive Engineer, Padmanabhanagara Division, Opp. Sagar Hospital, Kumaraswamy Layout, Bengaluru - 560 078.
No: EE(PN)/TEND/11/2021-22 **Date: 02.02.2022**

TENDER NOTIFICATION (SINGLE COVER & TWO COVER SYSTEM)
(Through **GOK e-Procurement Portal** only)
(Standard Tender Document KW -1, 2 & 4)

The Executive Engineer, Padmanabhanagara Division, BBMP, Bengaluru invites Tenders from eligible Contractors registered in Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike or equivalent registration with CPWD/KPWD/ Railways/MES or any State Government Organizations for the constructions of work detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Works / Category	Approx. Value of Work (₹. in Lakhs)	EMD (in ₹.)
1.	Engaging Tractor and Labours for Removal of Debris and Other works in Ward Jurisdiction in Ward No-167, Yadiyuru (2nd Call) (ST)	15.00	18,750/-
2.	Providing security guards and housekeeping for maintenance of Community hall Library Anganawadi School building Health Centers in Ward No-167 (Others)	38.00	76,000/-
3.	Annual Maintenance, repairs to borewells and water supply pipelines for domestic water supply at ward jurisdiction in Ward No-167 (Others)	20.00	50,000/-
4.	Annual Maintenance of Yadiyuru Lake in Ward No-167. (Others)	10.00	25,000/-
5.	Providing and supplying of Hospital equipments and other accessories to Multi Speciality hospital building at Sakamma Garden in Ward No-167 Yadiyuru. Annexure-6 Sl. No. 190. (Approved Original Work: Construction of Multispecial Hospital Building including ICU and Operation Theration Theatres at Sakamma Garden in Ward No-167 Annexure -6 Sl No 190) (Others)	237.48	3,56,220/-

Calendar of Events : (1) Tenders must be submitted online through e-procurement portal on or before **14.03.2022** at **4:00** pm. (2) Financial bids will be Opened (except Sl. No 05 work) in the Office of the Executive Engineer, (Padmanabhanagara) on or after **15.03.2022** at **4:30** pm. (3) Pre-Bid Meeting for Sl. No 05 work only will be held in the Office of the Chief Engineer (South), BBMP, 9th Main, 9th Cross, Jayanagara 2nd Block, Bengaluru - 560 011 on **09.03.2022** at **3:00** pm. (4) Technical Bids for Sl No. 05 work only will be opened in the Office of the Executive Engineer (Padmanabhanagara) on or after **15.03.2022** at **4:30** pm. Further details may be obtained from the above office during office hours on working days or from website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Padmanabhanagara Division

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No.8, MSB-1, 6 & 7th Floor, Karnataka Marketing Federation Building, Cunningham Road, Bengaluru-560052.
Tel: 080-22283366, Tele Fax: 080-22262288

No.KREIS/AEE/Tender-29/2021-22 Date: 02-02-2022

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through e-Tendering Only)

The Short term tenders has been invited for **Providing LT Polyolefin heat shrinkable tube insulation covered Rabbit ACSR Conductor in place of the existing bare Rabbit conductor duly releasing the same in 90 Scheduled Caste Residential Schools of Bengaluru Division, 67 Scheduled Caste Residential Schools of Mysore Division, 69 Scheduled Caste Residential Schools of Kalaburagi Division, 71 Scheduled Caste Residential Schools of Belagavi Division, 58 Scheduled Tribe Residential Schools managed by Karnataka Residential Educational Institutions Society all over Karnataka State (respectively Indent Nos: 2978, 2979, 2980, 2981, 2969)** through e-Portal vide website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** on **02.02.2022.** The last date for receipt of Tender is **16.02.2022.** The details may be viewed at above website.

Sd/- Assistant Executive Engineer KREIS

DIPR/DDU/YC/3179/2021-22
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DAVANAGERE SMART CITY LIMITED
Plot No.77, Zilladalitha Bhavana Office Premises, Karur Industrial Area, Old P.B. Road, Davanagere-577006
Tel-08192-222383, CIN: U74999KA2016PLC093411,
davanageresmartcity.mrc.gov.in, smartcitydavanagere@gmail.com
No: DSCL/EE/CR- 68/2021-22/2085 **Date:01-02-2022**

Invitation for Expression of Interest

Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) to carryout "Planning, Designing, Execution of Beautification (Providing of Mural Art, Hardscaping, vertical gardening and Artisitic wall painting etc) illumination and Landscaping works in and around the newly constructed Integrated Command and Control Centre Building including related civil, electrical and plumbing works etc complete on turnkey basis". Interested parties can submit their EOI through web site of http://eprocurement.kar.nic.in from 01st February 2022 to 16th February 2022 up to 4.30 PM.
Tender Number: UDD/DSCL/CR-68/2021-22/Call-2.
In case of any queries / clarifications on the project / documents please contact DSCL during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Davanagere Smart City Ltd., Davanagere.
Sd/- Managing Director, Davanagere Smart City Limited, Davanagere
ಮಾಸ್ಯ/ದಾವಣಗೆರೆ/689/ಎಂಸಿ/2021-22

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
FISCAL POLICY INSTITUTE (FPI)
Bengaluru-Mysore Road, Kengeri, Bengaluru - 560 060.
Ph: 080-2697 1000, Fax: 080-2697 1010, website: www.fpibengaluru.karnataka.gov.in
No:FPI-PROC/HK&CATERING/2022 Date: 01.02.2022

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Fiscal Policy Institute (FPI) invites Tender in two-tender document system i.e. Technical and Financial, through e-procurement portal from the reputed agencies for the following services as per the Schedule of Tender given below:

Sl. No.	Tender No.	Brief description of the tender
1	No. FPI-PROC/ HK& CATERING/2022 (Last date:17.02.2022)	NOTICE INVITING TENDER FROM AGENCIES TO PROVIDE CATERING AND HOUSEKEEPING SERVICES TO FPI

The Tender details may be seen on website **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** All terms & conditions are applicable as per tender documents. Prospective tenderers can obtain clarifications if any from this office.

DIPR/DDU/YC/3173/2021-22 **Sd/- Additional Director (Admn)**
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AXIS BANK LIMITED

Retail Lending and Payment Group (Local Office/ Branch): Axis Bank Limited, #45, Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru-Karnataka-560027

Axis Bank Ltd., 3rd Floor, Gigaplex, NPC - 1, TTC Industrial Area, Mugalsan Road, Airoli, Navi Mumbai-400708.
Registered Office: "Trishul", 3rd Floor Opp. Samartheshwar Temple Law Garden, Ellisbridge Ahmedabad-380006.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

AuctionSale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9 Sub Rule (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property is mortgaged/ charged to the secured creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Secured Creditor will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is"** and **"Whatever there is"** on **8th March 2022** for recovery of **Rs.18,66,373/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Sixty Six Thousand Three Hundred and Seventy Three Only)** dues as on **19.09.2017** with future interest and costs due to the secured creditor from **1) Mr. Rajiv Ranjan Singh** and **2) Mr. Keya Singh** in **Loan No. PH0090100010861.** Please refer the appended auction schedule for necessary details:-

Known Encumbrances (If Any)	Not known to the secured creditor. The unpaid charges towards electricity, maintenance , Tax etc. if any, as applicable
Reserve Price (In Rs.)	Rs.33,89,800/- (Rupees Thirty Three Lakh Eighty Nine Thousand and Eight Hundred Only)
Earnest Money Deposit (In Rs.)	Rs.3,38,980/- (Rupees Three Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty Only) through DD/PO in favor of **'Axis Bank Ltd.'** payable at **Bangalore.**
Bid Incremental Amount	Rs.10,000/- (Rs. Ten Thousand Only)
Last Date, Time and Venue for Submission of Bids/ Tender with EMD	**Till 7th March 2022 latest by 04:00 P.M.** at **Axis Bank Ltd,** #45, Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru-Karnataka-560027, **addressed to Mr. Shaik Azuruddin**
Date, Time, And Venue For Public E-Auction	**On 8th March 2022, between 11.00 A.M and 12.00 Noon at Axis Bank Ltd, #45, Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru-Karnataka-560027**

SCHEDULE - DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of Flat No.301 comprising an area of 969 sq.ft./90.06 sq. mtrs. of built up area in the Third Floor and out of proportionate super built up area of 1210 sq.ft./112.45 sq.mtr. in Confident Antlia - 1 and in which having undivided right, title, share and interest of 557 sq.ft./51.77 sq.mt. in the land property out of the total extent of 1 acre and 17 guntas (62073 sq.ft./5768.866 sq.mtrs.) in the Sy.No.416 situated at Sarjapura Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore and the aforesaid flat is **bounded on: East by:** Open space, **West by:** Common area and open space, **North by:** Open Space, **South by:** Common area and flat 302

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in the secured creditor's website i.e. **https://www.axisbank.com/auction-retail**

For any other assistance, the intending bidders may contact **Mr. Shaikh Azuruddin** at **Axis Bank Ltd, #45, Prestige Libra, 1st Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560027 (Mobile No. 7330999018 Email ID - shaik.azuruddin@axisbank.com) during office hours from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM.**

This Notice should be considered as 30 Days' Notice to the Borrowers/ Co-borrowers/ Guarantors under Rule 9 Sub Rule (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2002.

Date: 03.02.2022, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, Axis Bank Ltd.**

Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-op Bank Ltd.,

Head Office : B.H. Road, Tumkur-572103, Karnataka,
Phone : 0816-2257636 / 4021102-103, Fax : 0816-2255905,
Email : tgmcb_ho@hotmail.com, tgmcb.ho@gmail.com, Website : tgmcbank.com,

TENDER CUM - E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RE CONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, borrowers **Mr. PRASAD BABU V** S/o Chinnaswamy Naidu, #145, 17th Cross, Gangamma Layout, Ashok Nagar, Bangalore - 560 050 **Personal guarantee of 1) Mrs. V. Sharadha** W/o Sudarshan Naidu, #7-15/1, Gangamma Temple Street, Near Vidhyapeeta Main Road, Bangalore. **2) Mrs. Rekha S** W/o Prasad Babu V #145, 17th Cross, Gangamma Layout, Ashok Nagar, Bangalore - 560 050 having failed to repay the debt in respect of borrowing from **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-op Bank Ltd.,** The total amount due and payable by them jointly and severally as per the agreed terms and conditions is **Rs.2,35,23,217/- (Rupees Two Crores Thirty Five Lakhs Twenty Three Thousand Two Hundred And Seventeen Only) as on Dt.05.08.2019,** along with interest at the applicable rate and costs thereon.

Whereas the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorized Officer has taken possession of the mortgaged property including those more fully described hereunder on , and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Description of Property	Date & Time of Opening Tender and Place of Auction	Reserve Price & EMD Amount
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing BBMP Katha No. New 10, P.I.D No. 58-131-10, Situated at Thayappana Halli, BDA Layout, Bangalore, Ward No. 58-Jayanagar, measuring East to West 18.29 Meters and North to South 12.19 Meters, Totally measuring 222.95 Square Meters or 2400 Sq. Ft, Building there on and Bounded on : East By : Site No. 35, West By : Road, North By : Park & Road, South By: Site No. 11.	**08.03.2022 at 11.00 AM** **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar Bangalore-10.**	**Rs.4,50,00,000/- (Rupees Four Crore Fifty Lakh Only)** **EMD: Rs.45,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Five Lakh Only)**

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: -(1) The Tender form can be collected from **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd.,2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, ESI Road, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-10 (Mob No : 9449027476 , 9620161186)** on all working days during office hours. **(2)** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of **"Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd.,"** payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender – cum – Auction Sale Notice. **(3)**Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, ESI Road, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-10. Latest by 07.03.2022 before 5.00 PM.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected. **(4)**The property "SHALL NOT" be sold below the reserve price. **(5)** In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **(6)**The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **(7)**The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorized Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **11.00 AM on 08.03.2022. (8)** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorized Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price.**(9)**The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **(10)** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **(11)**The Authorized Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **(12)** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **(13)** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between **10.00 AM and -5.00PM** at his expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **(14)** The property is put for sale on **"AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION".** The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property.
For further details the intending bidders may contact the **Authorized Officer, Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, ESI Road, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore. (Mob. No : 9449027476, 9620161186) -Mail: securitization@tgmcbank.com**

Place : Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date : 02.02.2022 **TUMKUR GRAIN MERCHANTS CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that, my client Sri. N.P. MUDDEGOWDA, Aged about 88 year, S/o Late.Puttaswamy Gowda, R/at No. 17/6C, Bommenahalli Village, Barandur Post, Bhadravathi Taluk, Simoga District, here by informed that, the original document i.e. Regd., Sale Deed/ Mother Deed, dated 26.06.2004, Registered at the office of Sub-registrar, Kengeri, Bangalore, vide Book No. I, Registered No. KEN-1-11189-2004-05, stored in C.D.No.KEND99, which have been lost/misplaced while travelling from Shimoga to Kengeri, Bangalore. My client lodged a police complaint No. 0144195/2022, on 27.01.2022 before Crime Branch Bengaluru City Police. Any person/s in possession of the afore said document may return the same to me or anyone having any sort of claim over the said property may lodge their objections in writing within 7 days from this day to the undersigned.

T.A. Harish, B.A.L., LL.B.
Advocate / Legal Advisor
15/7, 3rd Cross, Sampige Road,
Malleshwaram, Bengaluru - 560 003.

IN THE COURT OF CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE (COMMERCIAL COURT) (CCH.No.84)

Com. O.S. No. 601 / 2021

STATE BANK OF INDIA, Small and Medium Enterprises Centre (SMEC), #20, Badagandu Sangha Building, Girls' High School Street, Kumarapark, Bangalore - 560020. Rptd. By its: Chief Manager. **...Plaintiff**
AND: M/s. Mukul Industries and Another **...Defendants**

NOTICE / SUMMONS TO THE DEFENDANTS

1. M/s. MUKUL INDUSTRIES AND ANOTHER, No.180, 11th Main, 3rd Phase, Peenya Industrial Area, Bangalore - 560078.
2. Smt. PADMA BADRI, Proprietor of Mukul Industries, 2/8 Adlig Flats, Nandini Layout, Bangalore - 560096.

Whereas the Plaintiff has filed the above case against defendants a suit for recovery of sum of Rs.16,50,285/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Fifty Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty Five only) along with current and future interest rate of 11.85% p.a compounded monthly rests on the above mentioned amount from the date of suit till its payment. You are hereby summoned to appear before this Hon'ble Court either in person or through the pleader **on the 08.03.2022 at 11.00 A.M,** CCH-84, to defend the above case, failing which the matter will be heard ex-parte.
Given under my hand and seal of the court on this 02.02.2022.

By Order of the Court, Sheritedar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.
Advocate for Plaintiff :
GKM Associates, Advocates
No.205, 2nd Floor, Ahuja Chambers, No.1, Kumara Krupa Road, Bangalore - 560 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients **Dr.SHIRAZ PASHA .P.,** Aged about 42 years, S/o.Mr.K.Pasha Mohyudin, and **Mrs.SYEDA NAYEEMUNNISA,** Aged about 36 years, W/o. Dr. Shiraz Pasha.P., Both are Residing at No.140,17th Cross, Kanakanagar, R.T.Nagar, Bangalore–560032, intends to purchase the schedule property from
Mr. SYED ZAMEERUDDIN AZAD alias **ZAMEERUDDIN AZAD. S.,** Aged about 42 years, S/o.Mr. Syed Tajuddin, Residing at Flat No. G-01, Ground Floor, No. 555, 4th Cross, H M T Layout, Ganganagar, R.T.Nagar, Bangalore North, Bangalore – 560 032. Those who are having any title, right, claim or interest in the Schedule property may contact me with their legitimate claim within 10 days, failing which my clients will purchase the Schedule property, as the same is free from all claims / encumbrance and no claim shall be entertained later.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing New Municipal No. 5, PID No.88-358-5, 100 Feet Road, 10th Main Road, Banasawadi, Old BBMP Ward No.88, (formerly No.31, House List Khatha No. 1326/1109/1),Situated at Banaswadi Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore Measuring East 27 Ft.,West: 28 Ft. 9 inches, North 40 Ft. and South 48 Ft. 2 inches, in all totally measuring 1232.6 Sq.ft., along with 50 Square RCC roofed building consisting of (Ground floor, First Floor, Second floor and Third floor) with vitrified flooring, jungle wood doors and windows, and bounded on : East by: Private property; West by:100 Ft. wide Road; North by: House site No. 32; South by: House site No. 16 of Mrs. Pushpa and Vadivelu.

K. Ajayakumar, Advocate,
AJAY & ASSOCIATES,
18, 1st floor, Thimmaiah Garden, Devegowda Road, R.T.Nagar Post, Bangalore-32. Ph.(O) 23335132, 080-48506640, Mob. 9880140512.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Govt. of India Undertaking)

DVG Road Branch II, No.26, Dr. DVG Road, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru-560004

POSSESSION NOTICE

Appendix IV under Act-Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **Canara Bank, DVG Road Branch II, No.26, Dr. DVG Road, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru-560004,** Under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **13.10.2021** calling upon the borrower **1) M/s. Rama Silk and Sarees,** No.180. Dr. DVG Road, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru -560004. **Represented By its Partners: 2) Mr. M N Gururaj,** S/o. Late. M S Nagaraj, No.63/12, 8th Cross, 2nd Main, Hanumanthanagara, Gavipuram Extension, Bengaluru South-560019. **3) Mr. M N Ragavendra,** S/o. Late. M S Nagaraj, No.63/A, 8th Cross, Hanumanthanagara, Gavipuram Extension, Bengaluru South-560019. **4) Mrs.Threjavathi,** W/o.Late. Sridhamath, No.63/12 A, 2nd Main, 8th Cross, Sarswathi Vidyamandira, Hanumanthnagara, Gavipuram Extension, Bengaluru South-560019, **5) Mr. M N Sridharnath (Expired)** S/o. Late. M S Nagaraj, No.63/A,12, 2nd Main, 8th Cross, SSVM School, Hanumanthanagar, Gavipuram Extension, **Represented by legal heirs 5a) Mrs. Threjavathi** W/o. Late. M N Sridhamath No.63/12A, 2nd Main, 8th Cross, Sarswathi Vidyamandira, Hanumanthnagara, Gavipuram Extension, Bengaluru South-560019, **5b) Ms. Shriyanka** D/o. Late. M N Sridhamath, No.63/12A, 2nd Main, 8th Cross, Sarswathi Vidyamandira, Hanumanthnagara, Gavipuram Extension, Bengaluru South-560019. To repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs.26,70,246.12/-** (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Seventy Thousand Two Hundred Forty Six And Twelve Paisa Only) as on **30.09.2021** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. Together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **28th day of January of the year 2022.**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs.26,70,246.12/-** (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Seventy Thousand Two Hundred Forty Six And Twelve Paisa Only) as on **30.09.2021** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that Piece and Parcel of the House property bearing No CITB No.63A, Katha In PID No.49-93-12, Municipal No.12, 5th Main Road, Hanumanthanagar City Corporation Division No.31, Present Corporation No.40. Measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 40 feet, in all measuring 1200 sq feet, And bounded on: East by: Private Property, West by: Kundapura Vyasaraja Mutt Property, North by: Road, South by: Puttaiah's House.

Date : 28.01.2022 **Sd/-Authorized Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-op Bank Ltd.,

Head Office : B.H. Road, Tumkur-572103, Karnataka,
Phone : 0816-2257636 / 4021102-103, Fax : 0816-2255905,
Email : tgmcb_ho@hotmail.com, tgmcb.ho@gmail.com, Website : tgmcbank.com,

E- AUCTION SALE NOTICE

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RE CONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, borrowers 1) **M/s. Sree Balaji Ply Woods** Represented By Its Partners **A) Mr. Ashok Kumar M** S/o Late Mohan C, **B) Mr. Balaji M** S/o Late Mohan C Office At #119/1 And 2, Infantry Road Bangalore 560 001 **2) Mr. Ashok Kumar** S/o Late Mohan C, Residing At #33/2, Osborne Road, Bangalore 560046, **3) Mr. Balaji M** S/o Late Mohan C, Residing At #33/2, Osborne Road, Bangalore 560046, **4) Mrs. A Sumitra** W/o M Ashok Kumar, Residing At #33/2, Osborne Road, Sivan Chetty Garden, Bangalore, **5) Mrs. M Laxmi** W/o Late Mohan C, Residing At #33/2, Osborne Road, Sivan Chetty Garden, Bangalore, **6) Sree Balaji Frame Works Rep By Partners A) Mr. Balaji M, B) Mrs. Sumithra A,** #73, Central Street, Bangalore 560 001, **7) Mr.Manjunath B H** S/o Late Honnappa, Residing At No.2020, 100 Feet Road, Near New Horizon School, Hal 2nd Stage, Indranagar, Bangalore 560008 having failed to repay the debt in respect of borrowing from **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-op Bank Ltd., Jayanagar Branch, Bangalore.** The total amount due and payable by them jointly and severally as per the agreed terms and conditions is **Rs.20,23,10,081/-** (Rupees Twenty Crore Twenty Three Lakhs Ten Thousand Eighty One Only) as on Dt.**01.01.2020,** along with interest at the applicable rate and costs thereon.

Whereas the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorized Officer has taken possession of the mortgaged property including those more fully described hereunder on , and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Description of Property	Date & Time of E-Auction and Portal of E-Auction	Reserve Price & EMD Amount
SCHEDULE "A": All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing BBMP Khatha No. New 119, PID No. 78-1-119, Situated at Infantry Road, Bangalore, BBMP Ward No. 78- Vasanth nagar, totally measuring 8409 Sq. feet, Building there on and bounded on : East by : Private Property, West by : Western portion of Property No. 119, North by : Infantry Road, South by : Private Property. **SCHEDULE "A1":** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing BBMP Khatha No. New 119/3, PID No. 78-1-119/3, Situated at Infantry Road, Bangalore, BBMP Ward No. 78- Vasanth nagar, totally measuring 1269 Sq. feet, Building there on and bounded on : East by : Private Property, West by : Portion of Property No. 119, North by : Portion of property No. 119, South by : Private Property. **SCHEDULE "A2":** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing BBMP Khatha No. New 120/3, PID No. 78-1-120/3, Situated at Infantry Road, Bangalore, BBMP Ward No. 78- Vasanth nagar, totally measuring 1845 Sq. feet, Building there on and bounded on : East by : Private Property 119/3, West by : Private Property North by : Passage South by : Private Property. **SCHEDULE "A3":** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing BBMP Khatha No. New 119/1, PID No. 78-1-119/1, Situated at Infantry Road, Bangalore, BBMP Ward No. 78- Vasanth nagar, totally measuring 532 Sq. feet, Building there on and bounded on East by : Private Property, West by : Portion of Property No. 119, North by : Infantry Road, South by : Portion of Property No. 119 **SCHEDULE "A4":** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing BBMP Khatha No. New 119/2, PID No. 78-1-119/2, Situated at Infantry Road, Bangalore, BBMP Ward No. 78- Vasanth nagar, totally measuring 539 Sq. feet, Building there on and bounded on East by : Property 119/1, West by : Portion of Property No. 119, North by : Infantry Road, South by : Portion of Property No. 119. **SCHEDULE "A5":** All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing BBMP Khatha No. New 73, PID No. 79-48-73, Situated at Central Street, Bangalore, BBMP Ward No. 79- Shivaji Nagar, totally measuring 715 Sq. feet, Building there on and bounded on : East by : Srinivas's Property, West by : Road, North by : Property No. 72, South by : Private No. 74	**19.02.2022 at 11.30 AM to 12.30 PM** with unlimited extensions of 5 minutes each **https://tgmcbank.auctiontiger.net**	**SCHEDULE "A" &"A1" Rs.22,88,57,600/-** (Rupees Twenty Two Crore Eighty Eight Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Six Hundred Only) **EMD: Rs.2,28,85,760/-** (Rupees Two Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs Eighty Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Only) **SCHEDULE "A2" Rs.4,28,97,600/-** (Rupees Four Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs Ninety Seven Thousand Six Hundred Only) **EMD: Rs.42,89,760/-** (Rupees Fourty Two Lakhs Eighty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Only) **SCHEDULE "A3" & "A4" Rs.2,67,71,200/-** (Rupees Two Crore Sixty Seven Lakhs Seventy One Thousand Two Hundred Only) **EMD: Rs.26,77,120/-** (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Seventy Seven Thousand One Hundred and Twenty only) **SCHEDULE "A5" Rs.1,24,81,600/-** (Rupees One Crore Twenty Four Lakhs Eighty one Thousand Six Hundred Only) **EMD: Rs.12,48,160/-** (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Forty Eighty Thousand One Hundred And Sixty only)

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: - 1. The annexures form can be obtained from e-Auction Portal mentioned above. **2.** The intending bidders should submit duly filled Annexures 2 & 3 with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of **"Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd.,"** payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this E-Auction Sale Notice. **3.** Annexures 2 & 3 not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. **4.**The Annexures 2 & 3 along with the EMD shall be submitted at **Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd.,** 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, ESI Road, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-10. **Latest by 18.02.2022 before 5.00 P M.** The Annexures 2 & 3 without EMD shall be summarily rejected. **5.** The property "SHALL NOT" be sold below the reserve price. **6.**In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **7.**The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. The e-Auction will be conducted on the portal **https://tgmcbank.auctiontiger.net from 19.02.2022 format 11.30 AM onwards** with unlimited extensions of 5 Minutes each. **8.** After completion of e- Auction, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorized Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **9.**The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day or within the time frame informed by AO after issuing the H1 Letter, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price should be paid within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **10.**The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws.**11.**The Authorized Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **12.**The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **13.** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between 10.00 AM and -5.00PM at his expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **14.** The property is put for sale on **"AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION".** The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property. **15.**Bidders can bid for all or any one of the lots by submitting their EMD amount for the individual property.**16.**The bidders may participate in the e-auction from their own office/place of their choice. Internet connectivity shall have to be arranged by each bidder himself/itself. The Authorised Officer of Tumkur Grain Merchants' Co-op Bank Ltd (AO) and/or the service provider shall not be held responsible for the internet connectivity, network problems, system crash down, power failure etc; **17.**For details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact **M/s. e-Procurement Technologies Ltd.; Contact Person Mr. Ram Sharma Contact number: 8000023297/ 079-35022182. email id : ramprasad@auctiontiger.net, support@auctiontiger.net.**
For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer, Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-Op Bank Ltd., 2ND Floor, 2nd Cross, ESI Road, 4th Block, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-10 (Mob: 9880882881, 9449027476, 9620161186). Mail: securitization@tgmcbank.com

Place : Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date : 02.02.2022 **TUMKUR GRAIN MERCHANTS CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,**

ICICI Bank

Branch Office: ICICI Bank limited, SP-24, Ambattur Industrial Estate, Chennai- 600058

PUBLIC NOTICE - TENDER CUM AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Notice for sale of immovable assets

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ICICI Bank Ltd. will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is", as per the brief particulars given hereunder;

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s) /Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/ Loan Account No.	Details of the Secured asset(s) with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit	Date and Time of Property Inspection	Date & Time of Auction
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(G)	(H)
1.	Mr. Chandilya Mrithyunjay (Borrower) Mr. Ramamoorthy Chandilya (Co-Borrowers) Loan Account Number LBCHE00002386107	**Block No. 07** **Flat No.4A,** Super Built up area of 738 Sq. Ft, and UDS 353 Sq.Ft.	Rs. 4,50,49, 253/- as on January 06, 2022	Rs.23,50,000/- / Rs.2,35,000/-	February 25, 2022 from 10:00 AM to 03:30 PM	March 22, 2022 from 09:30 AM To 10:30 PM
		Flat No.4B, Super Built up area of 1297 Sq. Ft, and UDS 621 Sq.Ft.		Rs.40,70,000/- / Rs.4,07,000/-		
		Flat No.4D, Super Built up area of 1270 Sq. Ft, and UDS 608 Sq.Ft.		Rs.40,00,000/- / Rs.4,00,000/-		
		Flat No.4E, Super Built up area of 748 Sq. Ft, and UDS 358 Sq.Ft.		Rs.24,00,000/- / Rs.2,40,000/-		
		Flat No.4J, Super Built up area of 904 Sq. Ft, and UDS 433 Sq.Ft		Rs.28,50,000/- / Rs.2,85,000/-		
		Flat No.4K, Super Built up area of 884 Sq. Ft, and UDS 423 Sq.Ft.		Rs.28,00,000/- / Rs.2,80,000/-		
		Flat No.4L, Super Built up area of 875 Sq. Ft, and UDS 419 Sq.Ft.		Rs.27,65,000/- / Rs.2,76,500/-		
		Flat No.4M, Super Built up area of 875 Sq. Ft, and UDS 419 Sq.Ft.		Rs.27,65,000/- / Rs.2,76,500/-		
		Flat No.4N, Super Built up area of 929 Sq. Ft, and UDS 445 Sq.Ft.		Rs.30,00,000/- / Rs.3,00,000/-		
		"SCHEDULE ""A"" (TOTAL AREA) Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of land of an extent of 64 cents in Survey No.112/1, 1 acre 2 cents in Survey No.113, 9 cents in Survey No.128/1,48 cents in Survey No.128/2A and 52 cents in Survey No.129/2 totally measuring an extent of 2 acres 75 cens situated at Medavakkam Village. Previously Tambaram Taluk and now Sholinganallur Taluk, Kancheepuram District and situated within the office of Joint-I S.R.O-Saidapet and Registration District of Chennai South. **Item No.2:** All that piece and parcel of land of an extent of 49 cents in Survey No.128/2C, 20 cents in Survey No.129/3, 9 cents in Survey No.128/3 and 2 cents in Survey No.128/2B totally measuring an extent of 80 cents situated at MedavakkamVillage,previouslyTambaram Taluk and now Sholinganallur Taluk, Kancheepuram District and bounded on the North by : lands in Survey Nos.128/2A and 129/2 South by : land in Survey No.136 East by : land in Survey No.129/2 West by : land in Survey No.127 Situated within the Sub Registration District of Joint-I, S.R.O.-Saidapet and Registration District of Chennai South. **Item No.3:** All that piece and parcel of land of an extent of 26 cents in Survey No.111/1 and 28 cents in Survey No.129/1 totally measuring an extent of 54 cents situated at Medavakkam Village, previously Tambaram Taluk and now Sholinganallur Taluk, Kancheepuram District, measuring. 26 cents in Survey No.111/1 bounded on the : North by : lands belonging to Moni South by : land in Survey No.111/2 East by : land in Survey No.111/4 West by : land in Survey No.112 28 cents in Survey No.129/1 bounded on the : North by : land in Survey No.112 South by : land in Survey No.129/2 East by : land in Survey No.130 West by : land in Survey No.129/2 situated within the Sub Registration District of Joint-I, S.R.O.-Saidapet and Registration District of Chennai South. SCHEDULE ""B"" (Lands given towards Road and OSR Area) 28,067,02sq.ft out of the land mentioned above in Schedule ""A"". SCHEDULE ""C"" (Balance Land Available) 1,50,092.35 sq.ft of land out of the land mentioned above in Schedule ""A"" on the residential development known as MAJESTICA PHASE-I proposed to be constructed over the land morefully described in the Schedule ""C"" mentioned above together with equivalent car parking and proportionate rights over the common facilities and amenities accruing thereon				

The online auction will be conducted on website **(URL Link-www.disposalhub.com)** our auction agency **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited.** The Mortgagors/ noticee are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest till **March 21, 2022** before **05:00 PM** else these secured assets will be sold as per above schedule.

The Prospective Bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at **ICICI Bank limited, SP-24, Ambattur Industrial Estate, Chennai-600058** on or **March 21, 2022** before **03:00 PM** and thereafter they need to submit their offer through the above mentioned website only on or before **March 21, 2022**before **05:00 PM** along with scan image of Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. Kindly note, in case prospective bidder(s) are unable to submit their offer through the website then signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at **ICICI Bank limited, SP-24, Ambattur Industrial Estate, Chennai-600058** on or before **March 21, 2022** before **05:00 PM** Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/Scheduled Bank in favour of **"ICICI Bank Limited" payable at Chennai.**

For any further clarifications with regards to inspection, terms and conditions of the auction or submission of tenders, kindly contact **ICICI Bank Limited** on **7550214251/ 9004474395** or **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited** on **9810029926/ 01244233933**

Please note that Marketing agencies **1. M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited..2. Matex Net Pvt Ltd (Contact on 8939805544)** have also been engaged for facilitating the sale of this property.

The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please visit **www.icicibank.com/n4p4s**

Date: February 03, 2022
Place: Bangalore

Sd/ Authorised Officer ICICI Bank Limited

FORM A
PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT
(Regulation 14 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (Voluntary Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2017)
FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE STAKEHOLDERS OF VENKATESHWARA REALTECK PRIVATE LIMITED

1.	Name of Corporate Person	Venkateshwara Realteck Private Limited
2.	Date of Incorporation of Corporate Person	28/07/2021
3.	Authority Under Which Corporate Incorporated / Registered	ROC - Bangalore
4.	Corporate Identity Number / Limited Liability Identity Number of Corporate Person	U45400KA2021PTC150026
5.	Address of The Registered Office and Principal Office (If Any) of Corporate Person	No. 35, Chetana, 3rd Main Road, Ashwini Layout, Ejipura, Bengaluru-560047
6.	Liquidation Commencement Date of Corporate Person	February 1, 2022
7.	Name, Office Address, Email Address, Telephone Number and The Registration Number of The Liquidator	P. Sriram, 10/17, Anandam Colony, South Canal Bank Road, Mandaveli, Chennai – 600 028 Srirampcs@gmail.com 9940336666 IBBI/IPA-002/IP-N00292/2017-18/10895
8.	Last Date For Submission Of Claims	March 3, 2022

Notice is hereby given that the Venkateshwara Realteck Private Limited has commenced voluntary liquidation on February 1, 2022.
The stakeholders of Venkateshwara Realteck Private Limited are hereby called upon to submit a proof of their claims, on or before March 3, 2022 to the Liquidator at the address mentioned against item 7.
The financial creditors shall submit their proof of claims by electronic means only. All other stakeholders may submit the proof of claims in person, by post or by electronic means.
Submission of false or misleading proofs of claim shall attract penalties.

Date: 01.02.2022
Place: Chennai

Name and Signature of the Liquidator:
Sd/- P. Sriram
IBBI/IPA-002/IP-N00292/2017-18/10895

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that, my client Shaik Jamaluddeen, aged about 56 years, son of late Shaik Mohideen, residing at No.548, 15th Main, 3rd H.M.T. Layout, Mathikere, Bengaluru - 560 054 entered into memorandum of understanding to develop the property bearing No.39/1, situated at 1st Cross, Chowdaiah Block, Cholanayakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, (formerly portion of property bearing No.3, Assessment No. 76 and 77 katha No.540/1, Cholanayakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru), measuring East to West 49 + 61 / 2 feet and North to South 61 feet together with residential building thereon approximately measuring 1600 square feet with Sri Maryiam Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd., No. 14, R.T. Nagar Main Road, Rahamath Nagar, Bengaluru - 560 032, Rep. by its Managing Director Sri Sayeed Ur. Rahman and he failed to perform his part of objection covered under the said memorandum of understanding. Hence my client it hereby terminating the said memorandum of understanding date 08.06.2017 from immediate effect.

Through this public notice, my client requesting the general Public not to enter into any agreement with the aforesaid person in respect of the aforesaid property from this day onwards. If anybody proceed to enter into any kind of agreement with the said person the same will not binding on my client.

JAYARAJ GOWDA .M.N, Advocate
F-4, 21/22, KRISHNA TOWERS,
First Floor, 3rd Main, 3rd Cross,
Gandhinagar, Bengaluru - 560 009.
Mob : 9900900115, 9071191115
E-Mail : jayarajgowda.mn@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our Client/s are intending to enter into a Transaction and Purchase the Property morefully mentioned in the Schedule hereto and referred to as the Schedule Property from its present owner/s M/S KAVITHA TUBES LIMITED, (CIN No. U25191KA1991PLC012082) (earlier known as M/s Metalco Tubes and later M/s Kavitha Tubes Private Limited), a Company incorporated under the provisions of the Companies Act, having its Registered office at NO. A-344, 9th Cross, Industrial Estate, Peenya 2nd Stage, (Herohalli/ Nelagadharanahalli), Bangalore, Represented by its Directors Sri. T. Bhimraj Son Of Sri. Tulsiram, Sri. Ramesh Kumar Son Of Sri. T. Bhimraj and Sri. BagrechaMilind Son Of Sri. Ramesh Kumar.

Any person or persons asserting any right title, interest, charge or claim in the Schedule Property or any part thereof in any manner or having any claim against the Schedule Property or the documents thereof or objecting to sale in favour of Our clients, should write to the undersigned within TEN days of the issuance of this public notice with all documentary proof on which they are basing and asserting their rights with regard to the Schedule Property or any part thereof, after which period Our clients shall proceed on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with regard to the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property known as Shed No. A-344, situated at Industrial Estate, Peenya II Stage of Peenya Industrial Area within the village limits of Nellakadaranahalli, Yeshwanthapur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, having BBMP Khatha No. Shed : A-344, presently coming under the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No. 41, Peenya Industrial Area Ward, standing on Shed land measuring North To South 19.80 Meters and East to West 44.00 meters, in all measuring 871.20 Square Meters, comprising of a dilapidated Industrial Factory shed standing thereon and measuring 473.49 Square Meters and 18.87 Square Meters of latrine and urinals and open spaces and bounded on the

North By : Shed No. A-345, South By : Shed No. A-343, East By : 9th Main Road, West By : 8th Main Road

and the building constructed in the first class construction with cement mortar and a portion measuring 18.87 square meters having RCC roofing and a portion measuring 473.49 square meters having asbestos sheet roofing supported on M.S. Angles fabricated channels. Fittings and the shed is fitted with two rolling shutters in front and rear portion respectively with M.S. Angle fabricated and glass fitted windows and ventilators

Sd/- **Mahesh.K.V.** Advocate
MRP Legalis, Advocates
Flat No.3, First Floor, No. 122,
Margosa Road, Between 10th & 11th Cross,
Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560 003.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

OFFICE OF THE RECOVERY OFFICER- I/II

Debts Recovery Tribunal Bengaluru (DRT 2)
No.4, Residency Road, LIC Jeevan Mangal Building, Hayes Road, Bengaluru-560025

FORM NO.14, (See Regulation 33(2))
By Regd A/D, Dasti failing which by Publication

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 25 TO 28 OF THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS & BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1993 AND RULE 2 OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961.

RC/1/2021

BANK OF INDIA
Versus
MUNEGOWDA & OTHERS

To

(CH 1) BANK OF INDIA, Doddaballapur Branch, Scout Camp Road, 3rd Ward, Near Railway Station, Doddaballapur, **Represented by its Senior Manager and Constituted Attorney Mr. S.C. Kolurmath** S/o Mr Chanabasayya Bangalore-561203

...Certificate Holders

(CD 1) Munegowda S/o Anjanappa, **Residing At:** Bankenahalli Sasalu Hobli, Doddaballapur, Bangalore -561203.

(CD 2) Narayanamma W/o Sivaramaiah, **Residing At:** Viswanathapura, Devanahalli Bangalore-562110.

(CD 3) Sivaramaiah S/o Anjanappa, **Residing At:** Viswanathapura Devanahalli Bangalore-562110. **...Certificate Debtors**

This is to notify that as per the Recovery Certificate issued in pursuance of orders passed by the Presiding Officer, Debts Recovery Tribunal Bangalore (DRT 2) in **OA/1660/2019** an amount of **Rs.53,86,527.00** (Rupees Fifty Three Lakhs Eighty Six Thousands Five Hundred Twenty Seven Only) along with pendentellite and future interest @ **17.75 %** Compound Interest Monthly w.e.f. **11.11.2019** and cost till realization has become due against you (Jointly and severally).

2. You are hereby directed to pay the above sum within 15 days of the receipts of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made in accordance with the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 and Rules there under.

3. You are hereby ordered to declare on an affidavit the particulars of yours assets on or before the next date of hearing.

4. You are hereby ordered to appear before the undersigned on **24.12.2021** at **10:30 a.m.** for further proceedings.

5. In addition to the sum aforesaid, you will also be liable to pay:

(a) Such interests as is payable for the period commencing immediately after this notice of the certificate / execution proceedings,

(b) All costs, charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and warrants and other processes and all other proceedings taken for recovering the amount due.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on **31.08.2021**

Sd/-Recovery Officer
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL, BANGALORE (DRT 2)

You are directed that the payment made, if any, by the Certificate Debtor(s) be credited to the consolidated account of all debts due in this case from the Certificate Debtor(s) and the Recovery Officer kept posted with the payment position regularly.

The consolidated account so maintained will be subject to the verification of the Recovery Officer. You are further directed to submit an up to date statement of the total claim in respect of the above matter and full details of property particulars wherefrom the recovery of the debt is to be made.

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KORAMANGALA BRANCH
No.622, 80 Feet Road, 4th Block,
Koramangala, Bangalore-560034.
Ph No:080-22959683
E-Mail:bm1207@unionbankofindia.com

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for 30 days Sale of immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provison to rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rule, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Union Bank of India** (secured Creditor) will be sold on **"As is where is", " As is what is " and " whatever there is basis "** on the date mentioned below, for recovery of dues as mentioned hereunder to **Union bank of India** from the below mentioned Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s). The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit are also mentioned hereunder:

Name and address of the Secured Creditor : Union Bank of India, (Erstwhile Corporation Bank), Koramangala Branch, Bangalore.

Name and address of the Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor: Borrower :- 1. Mr. C Somashekar S/o P Chandrashekar Reddy, **2. Mrs. Bindu** W/o Somashekar, **3.Mr. Satish Kumar Chandrashekar** S/o P Chandrashekar Reddy, **All are residing at :** No.275, 12th Main, HSR Layout, 5th Sector, Behind Green View Hospital, Bangalore-560102.

Amount due: (1) A/c No. SOD-120731100000195 - Rs.81,43,284.00, (2) POD-120731100000742 - Rs.1,60,78,423.80, (3) FITL-120730100019962 - Rs.8,57,207.17, (4) POD-120731100000706 - Rs. 3,19,25,102.52 /- Total Rs.5,70,04,017.49 (Rupees Five Crores Seventy Lakhs Four Thousand Seventeen and Forty Nine Paise Only) **as on 31.12.2021** and further interest from **01.01.2022** and all other expenses.

Description of immovable secured assets to be Sold: Item No.1 : All That Piece and Parcel of Land and Residential building in the name of Mr.C Sathish Kumar Situated at 382/A,4th A Cross,11th Main, HSR 5th Sector, HSR Layout, Jakkasandra Ward, Venkatapura, Bangalore-560034, Site Measuring 2196.60 Sq.Mtrs and bounded by East by: Road, West by : Site No.382/B, North by: Road, South by: BDA Park.

Item No. 1 : Reserve Price : Rs.4,81,65,000/-
(Rupees Four Crore Eighty One Lakh Sixty Five Thousand Only)
Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs. 48,16,500/-
(Rupees Forty Eight Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Five Hundred Only)

Item No.2 : All That Piece and Parcel of the Property bearing new BBMP No.3, Old Municipal Corporation No.3/3m,having PID No.66-16-3,Situated at 1st Cross, Madivala Extension, Within the limits of BBMP Bangalore, Measuring East to West 90 feet and North to South 60 feet in a measuring 5400 sq.ft and bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Road, North by: Site No,2, belonging to Mr. Janardhan Reddy, South by: Road.

Item No. 2 : Reserve Price : Rs.9,66,30,000/-
(Rupees Nine Crore Sixty Six Lakh Thirty Thousand Only).
Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs. 96,63,000/-
(Rupees Ninety Six Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Only)

Item No. 3 : All That Piece and Parcel of Land and Residential building of Mr.C Somashekar Situated at Site No.275,12th Main5th Cross Sector-5,HSR Layout,Bangalore-560034,Measuring East to West 10.3+7.62/2 mtrs and North to South 17.35 Mtrs, totally admeasuring site area of 1678.24 sq.ft and build area of 4975 Sq.ft and Bounded by : East by: 40ft Road, West by : Site No.274, North by : 40 ft Road, South by: Site No.240.

Item No. 3 : Reserve Price : Rs.3,17,97,000/-
(Rupees Three Crore Seventeen Lakh Ninety Seven Thousand Only)
Earnest Money to be Deposited: Rs. 31,79,700/-
(Rupees Thirty One Lakhs Seventy Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Only)

Date and time of E-Auction: (with 10 min unlimited auto extensions)
E-auction website-www.mstcecommerce.com
Date : 10.03.2022 from 11.00 AM to 2.00P.M.
Last date for submission of EMD :
On or before the commencement of e-Auction

For Detailed terms and condition of the sale, please refer to the link provided in
(1) https://www.ibapi.in and www.unionbankofindia.co.in
The online E-auction will be held through website: **For Registration and Login and Bidding Rules visit:https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp**
For E-Auction Related queries Please contact : 9442866393

Date: 29.01.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **Union Bank of India.**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

LOST OF DOCUMENT

I hereby informed to the general public that my client N. Ramesh S/o Late M.L. Narasimhan, C/o N.Dorai Swamy, No.44/2, 8th Cross, Wilson Garden, Bangalore-560027 is the owner of the property bearing Sy. No. 233/2 measuring 1 Acres 30 guntas situated at S. Bingipura Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District. The above said property was purchased by his father. The original Sale Deed (Mother Deed) of the said property executed by Ramakka D/o Late Muniyappa in favour of Nanneshappa S/o Late Chikka Gullappa, which was registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Anekal in Book-I, Volume No.1422, Pages: 100 to 103, vide Document No.284/1985-86. dated: 30/9/1985 was lost on 26/01/2022 at about 2-00 pm while he was going to meet his Advocate at K.G. Road, Bangalore-560009 on a Two wheeler. Inspite of best efforts he couldn't trace the same and in this regard on 01/02/2022 lodged police complaint through online vide Report No.0148275/2022. If anybody finds the above said document or is in possession, please handover the same in the above said address or contact me on 9844236167, 9443161292.

LAKSHMAIAH, Advocate
No.74, 1st Cross, Cholurupalya,
Magadi Road, Bangalore-560023.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S DIVISION, KENDRAPARA

At : Ichhapur, Post: Shree Baladevjew, Email: eerwsskendrapara@gmail.com
Identification No.RWS/98/2021-2022,
Letter No. 945 / Dated . 31.01.2022

2nd Corrigendum

O-1728: This corrigendum has been made for the NIT-98 invited online vide this office letter No. 196 / Dated. 06.01.2022 with date for selling, closing, clarification and opening which was on dt. 07.02.2022 (selling date), 03.03.2022 (closing date), 11.02.2022 (clarification date) 04.03.2022 (opening date) respectively. As there need some changes in Tender Value due to unavoidable circumstances. All other terms and condition remain unaltered.

Sl No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost (Apprx.) Rs. In Lakhs	Revised Estimated Cost. (Apprx.) Rs. In Lakhs	Cost of Tender Paper	Period of completion
1	Execution of 70 LPCD RPWS Scheme to **Rajnagar** and **Syamasunderpur** on clubbed up mode under **Derabish** Block in the District of Kendrapara. **(JJM Funds)**	₹311.55	₹304.48	₹10000	330 days

Sd/- (Er. B.K.Nayak) Executive Engineer, RWS &S Division, Kendrapara
OIPR-25004/11/0052/2122

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सेन्ट्रल बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया
Central Bank of India

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Bmbang0848@centralbank.co.in,
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POSSESSION NOTICE (for Immovable property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Chief Manager & the Authorised Officer of the **Central Bank Of India, Cantonment Branch, Bangalore** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **28.04.2021** calling upon the borrowers **1) Mr Manjunath Gundanna,** No-38, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, BTS Layout, Arkere, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore -76. **2) Mr Manjunath Gundanna,** Khata No 24/2, Site No 24, Thayappa Layout, Arakere Village, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore 560076, hereinafter referred to as 'the borrower' to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.59,65,104/-** (Rs. Fifty Nine Lakhs Sixty Five thousand One Hundred and Four Only) as on **28.04.2021** plus interest and charges thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act 2002 read with rule 8 of the said rules on this **01 st day of February 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any one dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Central Bank Of India, Cantonment Branch** for an amount **Rs.59,65,104/-** (Rs. Fifty Nine Lakhs Sixty Five thousand One Hundred Four Only) plus further interest and Charges thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the residential immovable property bearing BBMP Khata No 656/1242/84/2/24, Site No.24, Situated within the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palika, Thayappa Layout, Arkere Village, Begur-Hobli, Bangalore South, Bangalore - 560076, measuring 1845 Sq.ft. with AC Sheet shed the site. Boundaries of the Property: East by : Road, West by : Krishna Reddy Property, North by : Site No. 15, South by : Site No.25.

Date: 01.02.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Central Bank of India**

Can Fin Homes Ltd.

CanFinHomes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK) HOME LOANS ♦ DEPOSITS Translating Dreams into Reality

Vijayanagar Branch
148/E, Sri Siddalingeshwara Towers, 17th Main, East of Chord Road, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-40, Phone: 080 – 23404965/23359162
E-Mail: vijayanagar@canfinhomes.com
CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699

POSSESSION NOTICE (See Rule 8(1)) For Immovable Property

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of the powers under the said Act and Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated **16.07.2021** calling upon the borrower **Mr. SHIVARAM M and Mrs. Chinamma** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 14,25,601/-** (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Six Hundred One Only) and interest from **01.07.2021** to till date of final payment within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on the **2nd day of February 2022.**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of CFHL for an amount of **Rs. 14,25,601/-** and interest thereon .

Description of immovable property:
SCHEDULE – A

All that piece and parcel of the vacant Site No.2108, Block VIII, Sir M Vishweshwaraiah Layout, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 18 mtrs, North to South: 12 mtrs, totally measuring 216 sq.mt and bounded on: East by: Road, West by : Private property, North by : Site No.2109, South by : Site No.2107.

Date : 02.02.2022 **Sd/-**
Place : Vijayanagar, Bangalore **Authorised Officer**
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LIMITED

Registered Office: Muthoottu Buildings, Market Road, Kozhencherry, Pathanamthitta, Kerala - 689 641

CIN: U65910KL1998PLC012154 GSTIN: 33AABCM5994M1ZY

GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given for the information of all concerned, borrowers in specific, who had pledged their ornaments vide Gold loan numbers in the branches which is given below. The auction is for the gold ornaments of defaulted customers who had failed to redeem their overdue accounts after repeated reminders and being notified by registered letters. The auction will be conducted at the respective branches on (19.02.2022) from 10 AM.

BANGALORE DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, NO. 8/14, 5 M ROAD, NEAR AYYAPPA TEMPLE, JALAHALLI WEST, BANGALORE - 560015. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-A D HALLI: 9355, 9419, 9421, 9425, 9445, 9449, 9450, 9457, 9458. KAR-ANJANANAGAR: 9210, 9273, 9274, 9305, 9314, 9328, 9337, 9340, 9341, 9342, 9349, 9351, 9373, 9378, 9380, 9389, 9392, 9394, 9400, 9401, 9405, 9420, 9432, 9440, 9444, 9449, 9469, 9473, 9477, 9479, 9482, 9485, 9634, 9746, 9768, 9781, 9782, 9787. KAR-ATHEBELE: 4612, 4873, 4897, 4903, 4947, 4978, 4997, 4998, 4999, 5004, 5020, 5029, 5032, 5033, 5048, 5049, 5051, 5053. KAR-BANASHANKARI: 5187, 5201, 5270, 10259, 10260, 10266, 10267, 10269, 10270, 10271, 10272, 10275, 10277, 10280, 10283, 10284, 10286. KAR-BASAVESHWARNAGAR: 9296, 9411, 9418, 9428, 9430, 9441, 9442, 9469, 9485, 9516, 9525, 9537, 9538, 9541, 9542, 9549, 9550, 9551, 9559, 9566, 9572, 9576, 9581, 9584, 9607, 9608, 9609, 9610, 9611, 9614, 9618. KAR-BOMMANAHALLI: 15517, 15550, 15556, 15562. KAR-BTM LAYOUT: 8378, 8463, 8488. KAR-CHANDAPURA: 8112, 8245, 8254, 8291, 8297, 8299, 8330, 8331, 8371, 8376, 8385. KAR-DODDA BANASAWADI: 9275, 9288, 9571, 9611, 9612, 9621, 9651, 9680, 9682, 14416, 14427, 14431, 14432, 14433, 14438, 14441, 14445, 14453, 14458, 14678, 14717, 14728. KAR-DODDA BOMMASANDRA: 10983, 11299, 11304, 11310, 11311, 11320, 11337, 11339, 11341, 11345, 11348, 11356, 11361, 11369, 11373, 11646. KAR-GANDHI BAZAAR: 81, 129, 130, 261. KAR-GIRINAGAR: 8980, 8984, 9029, 9031, 9048, 9089, 9095, 9096, 9124, 9156, 9158, 9177, 9184, 9197, 9198, 9222, 9226, 9228, 9233, 9234, 9239, 9241, 9250, 9260, 9261, 9263, 9264, 9270, 9272, 9276, 9277, 9289, 9379. KAR-HEBBAGODI: 19479, 19628, 19651, 19862, 19868, 19876, 19883, 19902, 19929, 19997, 20015, 20057, 20157, 20180, 20191, 20194, 20195, 20201, 20210, 20213, 20218, 20234, 20235, 20236, 20240, 20246, 20262, 20263, 20270, 20272, 20298, 20669, 20818. KAR-HEBBAL BANGALORE: 8564, 8565, 8582, 8583, 8584, 8585, 8586, 8604, 8612, 8626, 8637, 8734, 8814, 8818, 8820, 8831, 8839, 8847, 8851, 8852, 8857, 8867, 8868, 8869, 8870, 8871, 8872, 8876, 8881, 8882, 8883, 8897, 8899, 8900, 8903, 8904, 8906, 9101, 9122. KAR-HENNUR: 14187, 14375, 14477, 14588, 14628, 14678, 14699, 14708, 14709, 14740, 14750, 14890, 14892, 14895, 14902, 14903, 14924, 14925, 14928, 14933, 14935, 14942, 14955, 14959, 14978, 14980, 14989, 63627151, 63627177, 63627182, 63627400, 63627438, 63627498. KAR-HOSA ROAD: 24678, 24691, 24722, 24932, 24983, 25035, 25050, 25095, 25106, 25112, 25118, 25119, 25135, 25141, 25144, 25156, 25167, 25285, 25286, 25301, 25373, 25378, 25383, 25385, 25386, 25393, 25398, 25399, 25400, 25402, 25409, 25416, 25425, 25426, 25428, 25429, 25433, 25434, 25435, 25436, 25440, 25444, 25445, 25447, 25451, 25459, 25460, 25469, 25470, 25471, 25633, 25863, 25965. KAR-HOSAGUDDADAHALLI: 280. KAR-HOSAKOTE: 15590, 15627, 15665, 15800, 15919, 16088, 16304, 16314, 16331, 16341, 16342, 16363, 16365, 16368, 16383, 16385, 16394, 16403, 16411, 16415, 16419, 16421, 16425, 16442, 16452, 16474, 16482, 16501, 16503, 16505, 16513, 16517, 16522, 16525, 16533, 16536, 16537, 16572, 16576, 16579, 16589, 16608, 16612, 16622, 16635, 16658, 16659, 16664, 16671, 16675, 16680, 16681, 16684, 16695, 16708, 16710, 16712, 16713, 16719, 16720, 16721, 16722, 16723, 16727, 16728, 16731, 16733, 16734, 16736, 16737, 16738, 16739, 16743, 16745, 16747, 16748, 16750, 16754, 16755, 16766, 16768, 16769, 16772, 16775, 16787, 16788, 16791, 16794, 16801, 16802, 16803, 16805, 16820, 16822, 16824, 16826, 16831, 16833, 16835, 16838, 16839, 16844, 16847, 16851, 16864, 706203055, 706203101. KAR-HSR LAYOUT: 20295, 20149, 20588, 20589, 20595, 595272, 595353, 595373, 595374, 595378, 595404, 595405, 595409, 595460. KAR-INFANTRY ROAD: 5287, 5289, 5290, 5292, 5303, 5425. KAR-JALAHALLI: 13811, 13833, 13950, 13968, 13979, 13991, 20872, 20877, 20879, 20880, 20883, 20885, 20900, 20901, 20902, 20909, 20921, 20922, 20927, 20937, 20938, 20939, 20959, 20960, 20965, 20994, 20995, 20997, 21006, 21007, 21008, 21294. KAR-JAYANAGAR: 8969, 8973, 8986, 9009, 9020, 9023, 9037, 9040. KAR-JP NAGAR: 16583, 16590, 16652, 16656, 16698, 16730, 16734, 16745, 16748, 16754, 16756, 16784, 16796, 16797, 16798, 16799, 16808, 16846. KAR-K.R PURAM: 13045, 13082, 13104, 13172, 13174, 13190, 13208, 13212, 13218, 78702185, 78702191, 78702197, 78702199, 78702226, 78702228, 78702237, 78702250, 78702252, 78702274, 78702421, 78702464, 78702490, 78702516, 78702565, 78702641. KAR-KAGGADASAPURA: 30027755, 30027762, 30027882, 30027884, 30027888, 30027897, 30027922, 30027932, 30027944, 30027945, 30027947, 30027948, 30027950, 30027952, 30027954, 30027957, 30027959, 30027966. KAR-KAMMANAHALLI: 5048, 8558, 8589, 27256, 27261, 27262, 27263, 27264, 27265, 27266, 27278, 27433, 27467. 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KAR-MADIVALA: 11475, 11539, 11549, 11566, 11606, 11622, 11630, 11631, 11638, 11639, 11640, 11642, 11643, 11644, 11648, 11649, 11650, 11667, 11669, 11670, 11671, 11674, 11678, 11948. KAR-MALLESHWARAM: 6813, 7068, 7069, 7076, 7089, 7101, 7104, 7127, 7128, 7129, 7258, 7276, 7315. KAR-MANJUNATHA NAGAR: 14495, 14915, 14985, 14989, 14994, 15016, 15027, 15140, 15142, 15173, 15179, 15180, 15193, 15211, 15212, 15233, 15244, 15252, 15256, 15262, 15291, 15293, 15294, 15295, 15296, 15297, 15306, 15307, 15313, 15314, 15315, 15316, 15327, 15328, 15595, 15638, 15701, 15786. KAR-MARATHAHALLI: 8331, 8337, 8526, 8574, 8600, 8606, 8608, 8614. KAR-MARUTHISEVA NAGAR: 8554, 8564, 8570, 8588, 8609, 8610, 8615, 8622, 8627, 8649, 8650, 8651, 8652, 8653, 8662, 8673, 8873. 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KAR-THIPPASANDRA: 27971, 27973, 28008, 28044, 28113, 28362, 28397, 28505, 28507, 28510, 28530, 28547, 28573, 28608, 28616, 28617, 28618, 28620, 28621, 28622, 28624, 28632, 28634, 28639, 28640, 28641, 28642, 28645, 28647, 28654, 28664, 28665, 28673, 28684, 28685, 28688, 28690, 28699, 28703, 28704, 28720, 28721, 28722, 28724, 28732, 28734, 29173, 29210. KAR-UDAYNAGAR: 6266, 6354, 6355, 6435, 6466, 6480, 6481, 6485, 6517, 6530. KAR-UTTARAHALLI: 317540, 317625, 317645, 317646, 317752, 317755, 317760, 317764, 317778, 317784, 317805, 317839, 317847, 317872, 317873, 317894, 317903, 317905, 317907, 317920, 317923, 317924, 317929, 317930, 317931, 317932, 317933, 317934, 317939, 317940, 317946, 317950, 317951, 317952, 317963, 317964, 317965, 317969, 317970, 317971, 317972, 317975, 317978, 317979, 317980, 317981, 317982, 317990, 317991, 317992, 317993, 317996, 317997, 318004, 318011, 318017, 318363. KAR-VIDYARANYAPURA: 7992, 8034, 8064, 8066, 8122, 8123, 8133, 8134, 8135, 8136, 8143, 8149, 8155, 8159, 8160, 8161, 8162, 8163, 8189, 8417. KAR-VIJAYNAGAR: 8106, 8125, 8126, 8127, 8134, 8143, 8149, 8150, 8153, 8158, 8159, 8160, 8161, 8162, 8177, 8187, 8188, 8191, 8192, 8193, 8194, 8197, 8198, 8201, 8202, 8331, 8367. KAR-WILSON GARDEN: 6824, 6868, 6888, 6893, 6902, 6903, 6908, 6917, 6921. KAR-YESHWANTHPUR: 98611182, 98611192, 98611222, 98611286, 98611336, 98611344, 98611346, 98611347, 98611350, 98611353, 98611354, 98611360, 98611361, 98611365, 98611368, 98611369, 98611381, 98611382, 98611384, 98611392, 98611395, 98611579, 98611606, 98611686, 98611699, 98611740, 98611748, 98611754.

CHAMARAJNAGAR DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, 34, FIRST FLOOR SHREE RAM COMPLEX, SAMPIGE ROAD, CHAMARAJANAGAR-571313. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-CHAMARAJA NAGARA: 9029, 9086, 9354, 9376, 9377, 9378, 9386, 9432, 9578, 9589, 9596, 9622, 9630, 9639, 9641, 9691, 12159, 12167. KAR-GUNDLUPET: 9304, 9311, 9317, 9345, 9352, 9367, 9377, 9392, 9451, 9461, 9462, 9476, 9478, 9524, 9536, 9570, 9577, 9594, 9595, 9600, 9606, 9634, 9635, 9646, 9647, 9654, 9668, 9670, 9681, 9683, 9685, 9697, 9732, 17962, 17964, 17974, 17987, 17988, 17989, 17990, 17995, 18016, 18018, 18019, 18021, 18040, 18041, 18048, 18052, 18053, 18067, 18079, 18082, 18089, 18099, 18108, 18113, 18116, 18125, 18128, 18130, 18137, 30974, 30979, 30991, 31120, 31209, 31257, 31271, 31308, 31310, 31311. KAR-KOLLEGALA: 5718, 5739, 5746, 5770, 5813, 5940, 5955, 5956, 5979, 6530, 6531, 6541, 6542, 6545, 6556, 6564, 6577, 6582, 6596, 6597, 6878, 6902, 6906, 6908, 6909.

CHITRADURGA DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, 1st FLOOR, SHUVARNA COMPLEX, V G TEXTILES, NEAR LAKSHMI BAZAR, CHITHRADURGA - 577501. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-CHITRADURGA: 6618, 6748, 6762, 6763, 6780, 6784. KAR-HOLALKERE: 13691, 13784, 13980, 14010, 14236, 14268, 14302.

DAVANAGERE DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, SRI KOTTERESWARA COMPLEX,1ST CROSS, ASHOK ROAD,DHAVANAGERE - 577002. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-DAVANAGERE: 8061, 8089, 8103, 8128, 8146, 8150, 8153, 8184, 9332, 9346, 9349, 9356, 9357, 9372, 9378, 9678.

HASSAN DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, 1st FLOOR, S N S COMPLEX, OPP: MAHAVEERA PETROL BUNK, B M ROAD, HASSAN - 573201. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-ARSIKERE: 31014, 31015, 31439, 31572, 31842, 31875, 31889, 31901, 31937, 31960, 31969, 31977, 31980, 31981, 31996, 32029, 32030, 32037, 32054, 32063, 32081, 32091, 32106, 32110, 32113, 32120, 32130, 32140, 32147, 32153, 32154, 32162, 32165, 32184, 32204, 32208, 32214, 32218, 32219, 32241, 32257, 32259, 32269, 32270, 32272, 32274, 32275, 32276, 32280, 32298, 32301, 32302, 32307, 32312, 32317, 32324, 32336, 32344, 32347, 32353, 32356, 32358, 32364, 32365, 32370, 32732, 32760, 32772, 32816, 32824, 32915, 32978, 33095, 33097. KAR-BM ROAD-HASSAN: 12554, 12555, 13140, 13159, 13172, 13178, 13191, 13217, 13231, 13252, 13263, 13264, 13271, 13272, 13275, 13289, 13312, 13346, 13364, 13382, 13396, 13407, 13415, 13421, 13432, 13444, 13453, 13457, 13462, 13468, 13474, 13476, 13485, 13492, 13498, 13506, 13520, 13532, 13534, 13540, 13549, 13816, 13822, 14066, 14112, 14213. KAR-CHENNARAYAPATNA: 11880, 12238, 12239, 12240, 12245, 12246, 12256, 12274, 12277, 12289, 12306, 12308, 12325, 12343, 12345, 12346, 12352, 12366, 12372, 12404, 12416, 12426, 12427, 12431, 12433, 12441, 12447, 12454, 12464, 12465, 12467, 12471, 12472, 12473, 12484, 12490, 12498, 12499, 12500, 12510, 12970, 12985. KAR-RC ROAD: 11511, 11516, 11551, 11563, 11569, 11582, 11625, 11626, 11627, 11629, 11666, 11671, 11682, 11697, 11698, 11720, 11776, 11778, 11781, 11782, 11783, 11784, 11786, 11787, 11788, 11789, 11794, 11798, 11799, 11800, 11807, 11808, 11809, 11810, 11811, 11812, 11814, 11821, 11822, 11823, 11824, 11825, 11826, 11829, 11841, 11842, 11843, 11844, 11846, 11847, 11848, 11849, 11850, 11851, 11859, 11868, 11885, 11886, 11889, 11899, 11902, 12363.

MANDYA DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, NO-422/C,OLD KIKKRE ROAD, NEAR PLD BANK, K R PET - 571426. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-KR PET: 7506, 7508, 7526, 7537, 7538, 7607, 7609, 7610, 7611, 7612, 7613, 7614, 7645, 7650, 7672, 7673, 7674, 7685, 7686, 7687, 7688, 7692, 7694, 7695, 7698, 7699, 7700, 7701, 7702, 7703, 7705, 7717, 7718, 7719, 7723, 7728, 7734, 7742, 7907, 7921, 7952, 7980, 7986, 8015, 8017, 8043.

MYSORE DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD , NO. 4583/1, GANESHA TEMPLE ROAD, NR MOHALLA, NEAR MARUTHI CIRCLE, MYSORE- 570007. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-AGRAHARA: 10528, 10542, 10552, 10580, 10595, 10604, 10613, 10637, 10649, 10650, 10660, 10665, 10666, 10671, 10672, 10678, 10679, 10680, 10681, 10687, 10688, 10689, 10694, 10706, 10713, 10716. KAR-BOGADI: 5985, 6006, 6028, 6057, 6069, 6099, 6123, 6125, 6133, 6135, 6136, 6140, 6152, 6155, 6241, 6411. KAR-CHAMARAJA DOUBLE ROAD: 8767, 8800, 8819, 8821, 8849, 8886, 8889, 8902, 8908, 8910, 8911, 8913, 8920, 8935, 8981, 9079, 9120, 9150, 9152. KAR-HEBBAL MYSORE: 11930, 12001, 12033, 12090, 12093, 12095, 12096, 12102, 12108, 12119, 12125, 12143, 12148, 12334, 12374, 12375. KAR-HINKAL: 6867, 6880, 6895, 6904, 6951, 6952, 6953, 6954, 6955, 6956, 6967, 7000, 7046, 7082, 7089, 7090, 7103, 7104, 7105, 7113, 7114, 7115, 7124, 7126, 7131, 7132, 7134, 7135, 7142, 7144, 7145, 7162, 7353, 7382, 7388, 7393, 7408, 7519. KAR-KR NAGAR: 12010, 12688, 12694, 12719, 12750, 12752, 12754, 12780, 12810, 13039, 13088, 13106, 13159, 13170, 13192, 13193, 13194, 13200, 13201, 13209, 13229, 13249, 13251, 13259, 13263, 13267, 13283, 13287, 13288, 13293, 13298, 13303, 13309, 13310, 13312, 13314, 13315, 13325, 13326, 13344, 13351, 13360, 13373, 13378, 13379, 13380, 13393, 13396, 13888, 14025, 14145, 14190, 14284. KAR-NANJANGUD: 8938, 9410, 9435, 9442, 9454, 9553, 9561, 9565, 9571, 9651, 9664, 9665, 9685, 9709, 9717, 9894, 9926, 10051, 10052, 10105. KAR-NR MOHALLA: 16709, 16784, 16844, 16968, 17036, 17039, 17045, 17057, 17067, 17079, 30750, 30973, 31001. KAR-PANDAVAPURA: 6774, 7249, 17194, 17195, 17196, 17209, 17222, 17226, 17237, 17614. KAR-SARASWATHIPURAM: 5329, 5330, 5343, 5402, 5416, 5426, 5429, 5433, 5438, 5440, 5442. KAR-THERESIAN COLLEGE CIRCLE: 14674, 15013, 15051, 15098, 15111, 15146, 15195, 15201, 15236, 15239, 15244, 15245, 15248, 15251, 15252, 15264, 15268, 15271, 15284, 15287, 15303, 15534, 15545, 15589, 15593, 15603, 15608, 15660, 15667. KAR-V V MOHALLA: 9245, 9257, 9274, 9294, 9310, 9311, 9319, 9321, 9336, 9341, 9361, 9363, 9364, 9365, 9366, 9384, 9412, 9417, 9429, 9431, 9434, 9438, 9593, 9653, 9708, 9724. KAR-VIVEK CIRCLE: 8221, 8341.

RAMANAGAR DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD., ABR TOWER, 2nd FLOOR, B M ROAD, OPP. KSRTC BUS STAND, RAMANAGARA - 562159. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-BIDADI: 14751, 14752, 14759, 14762, 14793, 14817, 14851, 14871, 14878, 14899, 14904, 14927, 14942, 14986, 14991, 15042, 15050, 15062, 15079, 15086, 15091, 15093, 15099, 15117, 15119, 15157, 15160, 15161, 15162, 15189, 15190, 15204, 15208, 15212. KAR-RAMANAGARA: 11268, 11317, 11329, 11333, 11340, 11377, 11397, 11405, 11504, 11510, 11822, 11826, 11833, 11849, 11851, 11864, 11874, 11882, 11894, 12243, 12266, 12295, 12310, 12329, 12372, 12416, 12435, 12442, 12449, 12497, 12628, 14415, 14416, 14435, 14436, 14446, 14447, 14448, 14451.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, 1st FLOOR, C N ROAD, BEHIND GOVT. HOSPITAL, NEAR RANGAPPA CIRCLE, BHADRAVATHI - 577301. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-BHADRAVATHI: 8262, 8419, 8479, 8486, 8552, 8640, 8668, 8674, 8686, 8692, 8696, 8726, 8730, 8734, 8765, 8775, 8788, 8812, 8831, 8837, 8848, 8849, 8852, 8876, 8884, 8898, 8904, 8906, 8915, 8924, 8928, 8930, 8933, 8934, 8937, 8962, 8963, 8964, 8965, 8966, 8969, 8976, 8981, 8989, 8994, 8998, 9000, 9001, 9002, 9009, 9014, 9020, 9024, 9038, 9043, 9044, 9048, 9050, 9056, 9057, 9059, 9063, 9064, 9065, 9066, 9070, 9071, 9072, 9073, 706202383, 706202874, 706202875, 706202970. KAR-SAGARA: 6062, 6297, 6334, 6376, 6380, 6381, 6383, 6395, 6401, 6406, 6410, 6416, 6423, 6431, 6439, 6440, 6446, 6651. KAR-VIDYANAGAR: 11230, 11701, 11703, 11732, 11734, 11740, 11753, 11756, 11764, 11780, 11805, 11819, 11825, 11853, 11854, 11857, 11862, 11877, 11884, 11904, 11911, 11913, 11942, 11958, 11961, 11970, 11975, 11978, 11987, 11996, 11998, 12004, 12009, 12032, 12058, 12059, 12060, 12062, 12069, 12080, 12083, 12084, 12087, 12093, 12096, 12101, 12102, 12103, 12110, 12116, 12117, 12124, 12125, 12127, 12129, 12131, 12133, 12142, 12144, 12153, 12154, 12158, 12160, 12168, 12177, 12179, 12185, 12192, 12200, 12204, 12211, 12661. KAR-VINOBHANAGAR: 6585, 6597, 6600, 6688, 6711, 6731, 6734, 6735, 6742, 6750, 6754, 6761, 6777, 6784.

TUMKUR DISTRICT AUCTION: MUTHOOTTU MINI FINANCIERS LTD, 1st FLOOR, TVV CIRCLE, OPP. BHARAT PETROLEUM BUNK, MADHUGIRI - 572132. AUCTION DATE: 04.03.2022

KAR-KORATEGERE: 11042, 11512, 11546, 11577, 11639, 11653, 11654, 11701, 11711, 11721, 11735, 11750, 11790, 11792, 15418, 15425, 15428, 15429, 15430, 15436, 15439, 15443, 15446, 15447, 15448, 15460, 15461, 15463, 15465, 15473, 15474, 15476, 15477, 15481, 15489, 15500, 15501, 15906, 16001. KAR-KUNIGAL: 6417, 6658, 8106, 8107, 29917, 29923, 29937, 29948, 29952, 29969, 29974, 29977, 29994, 30007, 30008, 30287, 30290, 30302. KAR-MADHUGIRI: 11880, 11887, 11928, 11980, 11986, 12036, 12098, 12101, 12106, 12142, 12149, 12150, 12162, 12170, 12173, 12189, 12194, 12196, 12197, 12198, 12200, 12210, 12213, 12217, 12221, 12222, 12238, 12245, 12250, 12252, 12256, 12257, 12259, 12262, 12269, 12273, 12278, 12280, 12296, 12299, 12312, 12314, 12824, 12878. KAR-MANDIPET: 5940, 5974, 6258, 6365, 6372, 6374, 6382, 6383, 6394, 6401, 6408, 6411, 6413, 6425, 6432, 8568. KAR-SIRA: 11049, 11128, 11177, 11292, 11523, 11533, 11561, 11564, 11573, 11578, 11582, 11594, 11605, 11624, 11633, 11637, 11644, 11689, 11691, 11701, 11707, 11708, 11720, 11723, 11725, 11727, 11728, 11748, 11771, 11773, 11789, 11805, 11810, 11818, 11823, 11836, 11838, 11839, 20523, 20525, 20534, 20536, 20537, 20539, 20541, 20549, 20562, 20563, 20573, 20578, 20579, 20585, 20588, 20594, 20598, 20600, 20606, 20613, 20614, 20615, 20624, 21107. KAR-TIPTUR: 11056, 11061, 11064, 11092, 11094, 11108, 11147, 11151, 11173, 11174, 11175, 11191, 11194, 11206, 11209, 11210, 11239, 11250, 11268, 11270, 11274, 11280, 11281, 11282, 11283, 11284, 11285, 11286, 11292, 11294, 11296, 11298, 11299, 11302, 11306, 11321, 11342, 11671, 11714, 11719.

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Technical Committee appointed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India (by order dated 27.10.2021 in WP (Crl) No. 314/2021 & connected matters)

Prof. Naveen Chaudhary **Prof. P. Prabaharan** **Prof. Ashwin Gumaste FNAE**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Date: 3rd February 2022

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, vide the order dated Oct 27, 2021 in Writ Petition 314 (Crl) of 2021 and connected matters, has constituted this Technical Committee to enquire, investigate and determine the following in regard to Pegasus spyware/malware:

(i) Whether the Pegasus suite of spyware was used on phones or other devices of the citizens of India to access stored data, eavesdrop on conversations, intercept information and/or for any other purposes not explicitly stated herein?

(ii) The details of the victims and/or persons affected by such a spyware attack.

(iii) What steps/actions have been taken by the Respondent-Union of India after reports were published in the year 2019 about backing of WhatsApp accounts of Indian citizens, using the Pegasus suite of spyware,

(iv) Whether any Pegasus suite of spyware was acquired by the Respondent-Union of India, or any State Government, or any central or state agency for use against the citizens of India?

(v) If any government agency has used the Pegasus suite of spyware on the citizens of this country, under what law, rule, guideline, protocol or lawful procedure was such deployment made?

(vi) If any domestic entity/person has used the spyware on the citizens of this country, then is such a use authorised?

(vii) Any other matter or aspect which may be connected, ancillary or incidental to the above terms of reference, which the Committee may deem fit and proper to investigate.

The Hon'ble Supreme Court has also directed that the Technical Committee is authorised to (a) devise its own procedure to effectively implement and answer the Terms of Reference; (b) hold such enquiry or investigation as it deems fit; and (c) take statements of any person in connection with the enquiry and call for the records of any authority or individual.

The Technical Committee had issued a Public Notice on January 2, 2022 calling upon the members of the public who had reasonable cause to suspect that her/his mobile instrument had been infected/ compromised due to specific usage of Pegasus spyware of the NSO Group Israel to contact the Technical Committee at **inquiry@pegasus-india-investigation.in** In response to it, only two persons have produced their mobile instruments for taking digital images, Therefore, the Technical Committee once again requests those who have reasonable cause to believe their mobile instrument is infected with Pegasus spyware to come forward and contact the Technical Committee **with reasons as to why they believe that their mobile instrument may have been infected with Pegasus malware,** on or before February 8th, 2022 by an email to **inquiry@pegasus-india-investigation.in**

On receiving such information, if the Technical Committee is of the view that the reasons for suspicion of the mobile instrument being infected with the malware require a further investigation, then the Committee may call upon the person to produce the mobile instrument for examination/investigation and for taking digital images and also to furnish a statement relating to the particulars of the instrument and the person producing the instrument. When an instrument is produced, a digital image will be taken in the presence of the person producing the instrument and immediately thereafter, the instrument will be returned to the person producing it. A digital image copy will also be furnished to the person producing the mobile instrument.

The Technical Committee also requests anyone having any information or knowledge (or material}, on matters bearing on the enquiry/investigation by the technical committee in terms of the reference by the Hon'ble Supreme Court to furnish their statements and/or material to the technical committee by email to **inquiry@pegasus-india-investigation.in**

Every statement filed before the technical committee, should contain the name, address and contact details of the person submitting the statement and an affirmation that the facts stated are true to their knowledge and information.

Technical Committee in matter of WP 314 (crl) of 2021.

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Aung San Suu Kyi

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— Ramnath Goenka

TIME TO RELOOK PROCEDURE TO PICK GOVERNORS

The act of West Bengal CM Mamata Banerjee blocking Governor Jagdeep Dhankar from Twitter adds another sorry chapter to the relationship between an elected representative and a titular head of state. Both attacked each other using the social media platform to settle scores but thankfully avoided any below the belt name-calling. While this is not the first time that Dhankar and Banerjee have washed dirty linen in public, the immediate provocation appears to be Dhankar's description of the state under Banerjee as a "gas chamber of democracy". While the latest episode has taken the clash between the duo to ludicrous levels, West Bengal is not the only state where a governor-CM tussle is being played out. In Maharashtra, Governor Bhagat Singh Koshiyari and CM Uddhav Thackeray have long been at loggerheads, ever since the CM assumed office in late 2019. Raj Bhawan's patently partisan role was also played out in Rajasthan during the political crisis triggered by Sachin Pilot's revolt against CM Ashok Gehlot in 2020. While Gehlot wanted Governor Kalraj Mishra to convene an Assembly session to prove his majority, Mishra sat over the recommendation.

Historically, the relationship between governors and CMs has rarely been cordial and free of any rift. The party that comes to power at the Centre has always appointed pliable governors who can play a partisan role. In the troubled Northeast and J&K, the gubernatorial office has often been occupied by retired generals or intelligence officers so that they can be the eyes and ears of Delhi. But even so, the testiness between governors and CMs has never been so high as has been in the recent past, particularly between the CMs of opposition-ruled states and the governors. Many governors have even arrogated powers that lawfully belong to the CMs to themselves. Governors need to function as facilitators and not troublemakers. For this to happen, it's perhaps time to change the way they are appointed. If the CBI director can be appointed by a committee comprising the Prime Minister, Chief Justice of India and the opposition leader, why can't governors be appointed in a similar way?

MGNREGA DESERVES BETTER ALLOCATION

The massive push to capital expenditure remains a highlight of the Union Budget 2022-23 and is expected to provide some turbo power to the Centre's plan to generate employment in the midst of a pandemic. Yet, its indifference to the country's biggest rural employment scheme remains baffling.

An allocation of ₹73,000 towards MGNREGA for FY 2022-23 means the provision has not changed as compared to the previous fiscal. For a scheme that has saved lives and livelihoods of millions at a time when the world went topsy-turvy, the Centre's approach to MGNREGA has left many dumbfounded. Work demands under the scheme peak across the country in May and June, the pre-monsoon months. In 2019, the demand for jobs stood a little over three crore in June. With the pandemic sending millions home in an unprecedented reverse migration, 2020 saw the demand soar past six crore the same month. Last year, it stabilised to about 4.6 crore. With the economy attempting to return to normal amidst a third wave, the expectation for a higher allocation to MGNREGA was greater. In 2020-21, rural employment had received ₹1.1 lakh crore, its highest allocation, to cover wages of over 7.5 crore households. The next year, the budgetary estimate dropped to ₹73,000 crore, registering a 34% fall. However, the revised estimate saw the figure at ₹98,000 crore in view of demand for works across rural India and payment. Yet, massive payment delays have been noticed. NREGA Sangharsh Morcha, a national outfit that fights for rural livelihood, claims the Centre may have to provision ₹18,000 crore towards pendencies of past years, which will leave barely about ₹56,000 crore for the ensuing fiscal, putting the rural employment programme in acute financial constraints. Another problem is the gulf between lower work availability and higher work demand.

Odisha CM Naveen Patnaik was among the few who pointed this out, saying that a reduction in allocation during the pandemic will hit the poor. Under such a scenario, the stagnated allocation to MGNREGA calls for a relook. In its Gati Shakti mode, India cannot afford to leave its poorest lot in the lurch.

Cambodia's views on Myanmar do not seem to be on the same page as the rest of the ASEAN nations. This could further undermine the legitimacy of the body's agenda

CAMBODIA AS ASEAN CHAIR & THE MYANMAR CRISIS

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ASIAN AXIS

As the new year began, Cambodia took over as the Chair of ASEAN, which heralded an almost deja vu sense of uncertainty as critical issues impacting the region are driven by the Chair of the grouping that shapes the agenda for the coming year. In setting the theme for this year under Cambodia's chairmanship, the nation titled the year's agenda as 'ASEAN ACT'—with the 'ACT' as the abbreviation for Addressing Challenges Together. Towards the end of last year, Prime Minister Hun Sen declared his intention to visit Myanmar in the first week of January, setting the regional grouping into a tizzy as Naypyidaw remains one of the core focus areas for the ASEAN since last February's coup d'etat. The efforts made by the ASEAN to form a consensus on Myanmar and move ahead with the five-point framework for a resolution of the political crisis within the nation made little headway, as General Min Aung Hlaing returned from the April 2021 ASEAN special meeting and rejected the consensus on the grounds that peace and order have to prevail before a ceasefire can be reached.

Following this, the ASEAN decided not to invite the Myanmar military to the October 2021 meeting, leaving room open for driving the ASEAN agenda forward while trying to instil a sense of urgency in the political leadership to move towards a broad-based reconciliation that has still not occurred. Cambodia at that time was not in support of keeping the Myanmar military from the summit but went ahead with the decision collectively. As chair of the ASEAN, there have already been some indicators that Cambodia does not see it wise to keep Myanmar out of the ASEAN meetings in the coming year. While this may not have any significant impact on the political issues shaping Myanmar in the immediate future, what it can do is further undermine the legitimacy of the ASEAN agenda. As Chair for the current year, endorsing the continuity of ASEAN's broad-based agenda provides both legitimacy and coherence in the decisions taken during the previous year.

During the first week of January, the visit by PM Hun Sen to Myanmar saw the ASEAN members divided over different sides. While the visit was put forth as an effort to boost bilateral ties with Myanmar, the overarching signals that it sent to the region and observers were more ambiguous. The visit saw Hun Sen donate a huge amount of pandemic relief supplies to the beleaguered nation, which has been caught in the throes of both the pandemic and the political conflict. At the culmination of the visit, Sen stated that the Myanmar junta was invited to the ASEAN summit if it met the necessary conditions of the five-point consensus worked out by the body. However, this remains tenuous as neither Sen nor the ASEAN have any formal leverage to compel Myanmar to adhere to the proposal. Moreover, with the non-intervention clause being sacrosanct, the ability to pressurise Myanmar remains purely a moral one that the nation has no obligation to follow. Following Sen's visit, the Myanmar military has resorted to using the air force against the protesters and Aung San Suu Kyi has received a sentence of four years in detention, leaving little negotiating space within the political impasse.

Cambodia has often been viewed as supporting China's leverage in the area, even at a cost to ASEAN's priorities for shaping the regional agenda. The 2012 summit, where matters related to the South China Sea split the body apart, was clear evidence of China's ability to leverage Cambodia in support for its own position

What is disconcerting is that Cambodia has often been viewed as supporting China's leverage in the region, even at a cost to ASEAN's priorities for shaping the regional agenda. The 2012 summit, where matters related to the South China Sea split the regional grouping apart, was clear evidence of China's ability to leverage Cambodia in support for its own position. On the Myanmar issue, China has categorically stated that it was a matter of internal concern and that political resolution has to come from within. Hun Sen's statements are to be seen in light of this overarching support to the military given by China, inasmuch as he himself is categorically opposed to any exclusion of Myanmar, regardless of the rhetorical statements in support of the ASEAN position. This clear dichotomy in the ASEAN Chair will be a huge faultline that can be difficult to address as the year ahead will be challenging in dealing with Myanmar.

Within ASEAN, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines and Singapore have shown unstinting support to push Myanmar towards a reconciliation process, wherein the grouping's agenda is not undermined. In early January, during a video conference meeting between the Indonesian President Joko Widodo and Hun Sen, there was reference to the Myanmar issue as a regional challenge, with Joko Widodo indicating the need to maintain the ASEAN resolve on the crisis, pushing the proposed tenets, which also had the backing of the international community, particularly the United Nations. Any efforts to support the military by Cambodia will be seen as a de facto recognition of the changed political leadership in Myanmar. Moreover, supporting the military will lead to further political entrenchment of the region where democracies and authoritarian states will clearly be on two sides of ASEAN's political faultlines. Cambodia as chair will need to tread lightly to carry all of ASEAN along through the coming year.

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BUDGET 2022: LAYING THE ROADMAP FOR INDIA AT 100

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Delivering on the promise of introducing a series of growth-oriented and significant reform initiatives, the Union Budget 2022-23 laid down the roadmap for establishing India as a global force to reckon with as it turns 100 in the year 2047. With a view to provide further fillip to the investment sentiment, the focus was on the critical areas of PM Gati Shakti, inclusive development, productivity enhancement, sunrise opportunities, energy transition and climate action, and financing of investments.

The measures announced under these domains are prudent and aimed at rejuvenating government spending towards infrastructure expansion, sustainability, agriculture and digitisation. The high public expenditure would crowd in private investments and the infrastructure program is likely to catalyse connectivity for encouraging entrepreneurship and jobs. It, therefore, ticked all the right boxes that would strengthen the path to economic growth and development while catering to all sections of society.

The Budget pursued fiscal consolidation at a measured pace. The fiscal deficit for FY2022 settled at 6.9% and FY2023's fiscal deficit was taken to 6.4%. At the state level, a fiscal deficit of 4% was permitted, which will prove to be instrumental in promoting growth at the sub-national level by way of additional spending. The government also plans to provide assistance of ₹1 lakh crore over and above that at the state level, which will also be beneficial.

Recognising the need for giving infrastructure investments a renewed push, the sector has received the key priority in the Budget in the form of several important announcements such as conducting 5G auctions in 2022, including the scheme for design-led manufacturing for 5G as part of Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme and allocating funds for affordable housing in 2022–23.

The government has announced a sharp jump of 35.4% in capital expenditure from ₹5.54 lakh crore in the current year. This reform, expected to provide public spending the much-needed lead, is in line with our recommendation of incentivising public investment in housing, construction and real estate.

We had advocated for providing support for commercialisation of new technologies for the transition to low/zero carbon pathways and for demand creation of such technologies. The Budget provided significant policy attention to clean energy transition, which will contribute towards the climate change targets. This sector is being touted as the core of the country's growth over the next 25 years. Major funds are being allocated towards renewable energy, energy efficiency, electric mobility and green bonds. Four pilot projects were announced for the conversion of coal to energy along with an additional allocation of ₹19,500 crore to facilitate domestic manufacturing to boost 280 gigawatts of installed solar capacity by 2030. The allocation to the PLI for manufacturing high-efficiency modules for polysilicon will also boost India's solar capacity.

Another major focus area of the Budget was healthcare, which encompassed opening a platform for the National Digital Health Ecosystem that will consist of digital registries of health providers and establishments, a unique health identity and universal access to health facilities. In a progressive move, the government recognised that the pandemic has increased mental health problems in citizens of all ages across the country and announced the introduction of the National Tele-Mental Health programme.

The 2022 Budget represents the commitment of the government to propel India onto a higher trajectory of economic growth by following a future-focused process to make post-pandemic recovery more robust and equitable. The innovative new initiatives outlined shall encourage the entrepreneurial spirit and improve the investment climate

On the taxation front, landmark reforms include making the customs administration in the Special Economic Zones fully IT driven, providing for phasing out of concessional rates in capital goods and project imports gradually and applying a moderate tariff of 7.5%. Further, the Budget proposes that customs duty rates will be calibrated to provide a graded structure to facilitate domestic electronics manufacturing.

To promote the establishment of new businesses, eligible start-ups set up before 31 March 2022 have been provided a tax incentive for three consecutive years out of 10 from incorporation. Further, in an effort to establish a globally competitive business environment for certain domestic companies, a concessional tax regime of 15% was introduced by the government for newly incorporated domestic manufacturing firms. Taking cognisance of the evolving fiscal sector, the Budget provides that any income from transfer of any virtual digital asset shall be taxed at the rate of 30%. No deduction in respect of any expenditure or allowance shall be allowed while computing such income except cost of acquisition.

While the aforementioned sectoral reforms are set to boost the investor sentiment, it is noteworthy that the Budget laid great emphasis on the very core of all reform measures, that is, introducing structural reforms to promote ease of doing business. Some of these measures for enhancement of business climate include focus on standardisation and removal of overlapping compliances, crowdsourcing of suggestions, enhancing scope of the PARIVESH single window portal for green clearances and setting up of the Centre for Processing Accelerated Corporate Exit for facilitating and speeding up voluntary winding up of companies.

In sum, the Union Budget 2022-23 represents the commitment of the government to propel India onto a higher trajectory of economic growth by following a future-focused process to make post-pandemic recovery more robust and equitable. The innovative new initiatives outlined shall encourage the entrepreneurial spirit and improve the investment climate, thereby working towards achieving the vision of establishing India as a developed nation in 2047.

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Wasting people's money

The Congress in Punjab announced that Chief Minister Charanjit Singh Channi will contest from two constituencies in the upcoming Assembly elections. In the past too we have seen many leaders trying their luck on the political battlefield from more than one seat. Are they not wasting people's money for their personal gains? If they win from both constituencies, they will resign from one of them and elections for that region will be held again. It is high time a law is brought in to stop leaders from contesting from more than one constituency.

V Nagendra Kumar, Hyderabad

Cultural camaraderie

Two Muslims in Kerala's Malappuram district donated four cents of land to the panchayat to facilitate the construction of a road that will enhance accessibility to a 500-year-old Hindu temple. It is such gestures that will make India 'heaven on Earth'.

Dr George Jacob, Kochi

Prioritising self-reliance

The 2022 Union Budget had a solid vision. Self-reliance was given priority. Manufacturing machinery and equipment for military purposes, among other measures mentioned, will generate employment for the youth who have been badly affected due to the pandemic. The focus on Digital India is also a step in the right direction.

K Chandrasekaran, Chennai

Absence of populism

The opposition said the Budget did nothing for the poor and middle class in the nation, specifically the salaried class, farmers and the youth. An optimistic view is that there was an absence of populism in the Budget, especially ahead of the Assembly elections in five states. In fact, it is the opposition that seems to be using the Budget to woo voters.

Vijayachandran Neerazhikkettu, email

Digital Budget

The Budget was supposed to be with a human face, given the turbulent period the nation has gone through. Unfortunately, it was full of support for digital amenities, but oblivious to issues like the exponential rise in unemployment, widening economic inequality and disturbed livelihood. The immediate issues of people were not addressed.

D V G Sankararao, Vizianagaram

Not enough for rural areas

The Budget was not bad, but it gave little hope to the unemployed sector of the nation. Rural areas require more financial assistance. New technology will attract urban citizens, but will not be as useful to rural workers. Healthcare, irrigation and farmland development, etc., need more attention.

S N Amrith, Puttur

Committed to growth

There will be bouquets and brickbats from leaders everywhere depending on their political leanings, but the Budget is no doubt prudent (*Prudential policy*, Feb 2). The rise in capital expenditure to create jobs and absence of populism shows the finance minister is committed to achieving economic growth.

Hemanth Bhide, Mangaluru

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Yogi Adityanath @myogiadityanath

The minority history-sheeters, criminals, offenders, mafia and professional criminals of the state are all legal workers of the Samajwadi Party

Sanjay Singh AAP @SanjayAzadSin

In Prayagraj and Patna, students were killed by entering houses like enemies. The result of this has been drawn many times and it should be checked

Sharad Pawar @PawarSpeaks

Budget promises to provide jobs to a few lakh people in the next 5 years. In the last 2-3 years, the govt has been saying this but it has not been fulfilled

BUDGET 2022-23 – A HUGE TURNING POINT

S GURUMURTHY
Editor, Thuglak, and commentator on economic and political affairs

THERE are several firsts about Budget 2022-23. The first of the firsts is that this is the only Budget in recent memory when the finance minister's speech was not disturbed even once. The usual shoutings for this or that segment, or for states were absent. Second, this is the first pre-election Budget that has completely avoided populist lure for votes in an election season. Third, Rahul Gandhi ran into the car unusually without saying a word against the Budget, and an hour later sent an accusatory tweet that his advisers had prepared. Fourth, expecting it to contain huge freebies for poll-bound states, the Opposition, which had kept narratives ready to attack the Budget as a vote-catching exercise, was shocked by the contrast of cuts in freebies like in MGNREGA, food subsidy, fertiliser subsidy; that forced it to rush to change its narrative to charge the Budget as anti-poor. Fifth, the Budget speech, framed in a language entirely different from that the Opposition is accustomed to, also seems to have flummoxed the Opposition into silence. Sixth, the digitally read budget also digitally integrates the nation from villages to farming to post offices to finance to infrastructure to land registrations, to tax collections to railways, to roadways, to waterways to logistics to currency – into the largest single national computer. Seventh, digital currency that will be introduced by the RBI is yet another first. Eighth, the annual exercise of Budget has been psychologically transformed into the centenary Budget of Independent India. This made it difficult for the Opposition to attack the Budget the way it would trash a normal Budget. An economist with psychological background, not a pure economist, seems to have strategised the Budget narrative.

People's spending hesitancy

An important point that seems to have shaped the Budget philosophy and narrative is the rising household financial savings. Pre-Budget data showed

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that household financial savings for 2021 is up by over ₹7 crore, but the household debt is up by just ₹18,000 crore. Even in ₹45 crore-plus marginalised people's banks accounts in the Jan-Dhan Yojana, the deposits went up by ₹39,000 crore in just nine months from April 2021 to January 2022. The rising cash savings clearly indicated people's spending hesitancy, which is likely to last till the pandemic is over. This persuaded the finance minister not to go against their current psychology by efforts like tax and interest cuts, to force them to spend. For, even if she put money in people's pockets, they may not spend. This fundamental point is not much noticed in the Budget debate. It seems to have forced the finance minister to opt for more public spending.

Public spending instead

With the economy having taken a drubbing in 2020-21 and just beginning to look up in 2021-22 on the income side of the Budget, obviously the finance minister did not want to take high risks on the revenue expenditure side. So, she rightly opted for government-led demand to push the economy. With huge private savings available to back public spending, the finance minister decided to up the capital spend by 34% to lift the economy, which would mean letting some ₹2 lakh crore to create demand for goods as productive money in people's hands. Indeed a sensible decision in the backdrop of retail inflation levels beyond comfort. On top of the capital spend, the finance minister extended the credit guarantees for MSMEs by one more year to ensure that they do not suffer for want of capital for business. The FM focused more on putting productive money into the system than giving unproductive freebies to the people.

Prudent yet adequate

The spendings provided in the Budget are prudent but adequate. Public capital spend ₹7.5 lakh crore, housing allocation ₹48,000 crore, interest-free loan to state government for infra spend ₹1,00,000 crore, rural jobs guarantee ₹78,000 crore, Jal Jeevan Mission ₹60,000 crore – to mention some significant items – are all cash driven whose velocity is bound to lift the economy. The FM rightly preferred to be prudent considering that in uncertain times the government would need elbow room to provide for any crisis arising out of another Covid wave – like it happened in 2020-21 – when the rural employment guarantee budget almost tripled and provision for free ration hit the roof.

Avoiding risky populism

The FM clearly avoided risks that could have had a spiralling adverse effect. Had she risked more inflation and gone populist she could have hiked the MGNREGA outlay, food subsidy and fertiliser subsidy by some ₹50,000 crore to put money into people's hands to win acclaim and get votes, and cut the capital allocation by like amount. But that would hurt the economy, not help the people ultimately. Also the Modi government should be complimented for not going for freebies particularly when elections are being fiercely fought in the most populous Uttar Pradesh, results of which can have adverse impact on the credibility of the Modi government and its winnability in 2024. It would have required enormous political will for Modi to resist the temptation of using Budget for votes.

Shocking deficit in debate

A shocking deficit in the ongoing national Budget discourse is the national security aspect absent in it. Conventionally, Budget debates are dominated by economy, trade, finance, business and politics. But despite the nation facing the possibility of two-front wars from early 2020, participants in the Budget debates do not seem to have been conscious of it. There is thus no serious discussion about the adequacy of the allocation for defence. While critics of the Budget shed tears for the salaried class, middle class, farmers and the poor, none of them has even cared to say a word about whether the defence allocation should be more or less. There has been a substantial rise in defence spending in three years, from ₹3.05 lakh crore to ₹3.85 crore 2022-23. In addition, defence pension of ₹1.20 lakh crore. Defence allocation at over ₹5 lakh crore is the single largest item of spending in the Budget. Yet it is the least noticed, much less discussed. An aspect that deserves to be pointed out is the policy focus in the Budget on increasing the share of indigenous production in the procurement. The indigenous production in defence capital procurement has been increased from 58% to 68%. This is a major step to advance long term national security and also leverage on defence production for jobs and technology development as also exports. The Modi regime has been growing the domestic defence industry for seven years. Had it not focused on indigenous production and procurement, the country would not have been able to export Brahmos missiles for $600 million to the Philippines.

The rising cash savings indicated people's spending hesitancy. This persuaded the finance minister to opt for more public spending

2047 – aiming long

The Budget aims long into the future, with a helicopter view. It lays the foundation to turn national governance, integrating the Central and state government functions for common good, capturing the entire national physical, economic, financial, technological domains in one large national computer. If this massive digitisation agenda is achieved, it will put an end to most of the evils, including leaks in the economy, in government spending and stop corruption that damages the nation's physical and economic security, besides impairing national political morality. This would not have been easy to achieve but for the monumental steps taken by the Modi government like the 45 crore Jan-Dhan Yojana bank accounts, direct benefit transfer and Mudra credit. And nothing would have been possible but for the huge political cost it incurred in forcing the much maligned demonetisation. The demonetisation, which introduced and habituated people and the system to digital financial life and formalised the economy, in retrospect instituted the biggest intangible asset of the nation – formal and digital economy. It helped dramatically to increase the share of the formal economy. According to an SBI study, the informal economy. which was 52% before demonetisation is down to some 15-20%. That is the foundation on which the Modi government is launching the ambitious India 2047 Project in this Budget. In this sense, this is not just a Budget for a year but one that transcends governments – for any future government to continue to work on. In sum, Budget 2022-23, which transforms normal narratives, is a huge turning point for future India.

Poll pitch in Rajya Sabha debate on Motion of Thanks

Issues in election-bound states dominate talks in Parliament, Kharge accuses Centre of undermining democracy and right to protest

Parliamentary Affairs Minister Pralhad Joshi speaks during Budget session in Parliament on Wednesday | PTI

Naidu asks MPs to behave

After the winter session saw protests against the suspension of 12 MPs, Rajya Sabha Chairman M Venkaiah Naidu on Wednesday asked MPs to ensure smooth functioning of the House. After almost a year, Rajya Sabha functioned without disruptions. The last time when it functioned without disruption was on March 19, 2021. Naidu said disruptions in the House are highly disturbing.

RICHA SHARMA @New Delhi

THE Motion of Thanks to the Presidential address in Rajya Sabha turned out to be more of political speeches ahead of Assembly elections in five states. Several speakers spoke of issues related to these states, while the Opposition attacked the government over inflation, unemployment, and 'destroying' federal structure of the country.

Interestingly, the Motion in both Houses was moved by BJP MPs from Uttar Pradesh and seconded in Rajya Sabha by a BJP MP from Punjab and BJP MP from UP in Lok Sabha. About 99 amendments to the Motion of Thanks to the President's address moved by 14 Rajya Sabha MPs were admitted while 10 were rejected, including those on Pegasus spyware.

Rajya Sabha BJP MP Geeta alias Chandraprabha initiated the debate in and talked about work done in UP by the Yogi government and other Central schemes that have been implemented in the state. BJP MP Shwait Malik, who seconded the proposal, comes from Punjab and talked about Central infrastructure projects in the state.

Attacking the Modi government on unemployment, inflation and China border issues, Leader of Opposition Mallikarjun Kharge, who initiated the discussion, also spoke about atrocities against Christians, with the treasury benches linking it to Goa elections. PM Narendra Modi was present during the hour-long speech by Kharge.

"The discussion has become more of political speeches and now other speakers will have to respond in a similar way," Kharge said, adding that the President's speech is expected to be a policy document and a vision document but there was no mention of inflation, unemployment, farmers, and atrocities against backward classes. "You work less and it is more about the campaign and making false promises. Democracy is under threat as people are not allowed to speak the truth and those who speak the truth are labelled anti-national."

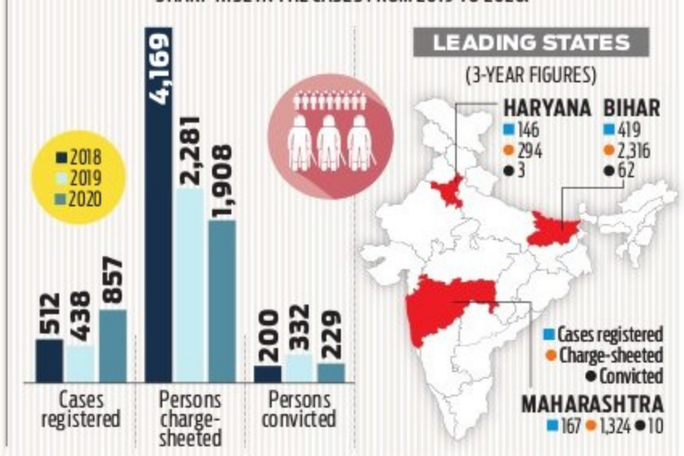
DMK MP Tiruchi Siva criticised the proposed amendments in all-India services cadre rules giving more powers to the Centre, saying that this transgresses into the rights of the states. "Did you consult any of the states?"

Criminal law amendments

New Delhi: The Central government has initiated the process for comprehensive amendment of criminal laws in the Indian Penal Code, 1860, the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, and the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 in consultation with all stakeholders. Union Minister of State for Home Ajay Kumar Mishra said in Rajya Sabha that amending criminal laws is a continuous process to make the laws in accordance with contemporary needs and aspirations of people. The minister said this is a complex and lengthy exercise and no time-limit can be fixed or given for this legislative process.

RISE IN RIOT CASES

A TOTAL OF 1,807 COMMUNAL RIOT CASES WERE REGISTERED IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE COUNTRY DURING 2018-2020, UNION MINISTER OF STATE FOR HOME, NITYANAND RAI TOLD RAJYA SABHA ON WEDNESDAY. THERE WAS A SHARP RISE IN THE CASES FROM 2019 TO 2020.



BJP takes umbrage to Rahul remarks

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LAW Minister Kiren Rijiju and other BJP leaders on Wednesday hit out at Congress leader Rahul Gandhi for his remarks in Lok Sabha on the judiciary and Election Commission and demanded an apology.

"I condemn what Mr Rahul Gandhi has said about India's judiciary and EC. These are vital institutions of our democracy. Mr Rahul Gandhi should immediately apologise to the people, judiciary and EC," Rijiju wrote on Twitter.

External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar pointed out that Rahul's statement had factual errors. "In Lok Sabha, Rahul Gandhi said we could not get a foreign guest for Republic Day. Those who live in India know we were in the midst of a corona wave. The five Central Asian Presidents, who were to come, did hold a virtual summit on Jan 27. Did Rahul Gandhi miss that as well?"

Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma also took to Twitter. "Mr Rahul Gandhi, those who prefer to feed biscuits to dogs in the presence of leaders from Assam and then offer them the same biscuits should be the last people to talk about political decency. High command mindset is INC's be all and end all. The people of India know it well."

Congress leaders jumped to Rahul's defence. Rajasthan Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot said an attempt is being made to abolish institutions and implement the rule of one person in the country.

"The gap between rich and poor is increasing. The Modi government is focussed only in the service of the big capitalists," Gehlot tweeted. He added that Rahul, while raising the voice of the states, spoke the truth that the Central government does not believe in dialogue with the states. "The Centre takes unilateral decisions without consulting the states. People have found out about BJP's repressive policies."

IN THE SC

Amazon hearing

New Delhi: The Supreme Court on Wednesday said it will hear on February 8 the plea by Amazon challenging a Delhi HC order staying the ongoing arbitration proceedings against Future Group related to a 2019 deal between the companies. A tribunal in Singapore has been hearing Amazon's case against Future Group.

Salem appeal on life sentence

New Delhi: The Supreme Court has asked the Central government to consider a plea filed by 1993 Bombay blasts convict Abu Salem that his imprisonment cannot extend beyond 25 years, according to the terms of the extradition treaty between India and Portugal. Salem is presently serving life imprisonment.

Defer GATE plea to be heard

New Delhi: The Supreme Court will hear a plea seeking postponement of the Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering (GATE) exam scheduled to be held offline in February. The plea has been filed by 11 GATE candidates in light of the surge in Covid-19 cases. The exam is slated to be held physically on Feb 5, 6, 12, 13.

CHINA THREAT: BIG HIKE IN NAVY BUDGET

MAYANK SINGH @New Delhi

INDIA is focussed on building maritime power to meet the threats of Chinese PLA Navy in the Indian Ocean. This reflected in the major fund allocation to the Indian Navy. China has been steadily increasing its number of ships and submarines.

The Ministry of Defence had highlighted this in a statement on Tuesday, "Underlining the importance of overall maritime security, the Capital Budget of Indian Navy has been enhanced by 44.53%, with a total allocation of ₹46,323 crore for FY 2022-23. This increase is aimed at acquisition of new platforms, creation of operational and strategic infrastructure, bridging of critical capability gaps and building a credible maritime force."

Significantly, the major increase has been for the Naval Fleet category, from ₹16,000 crore to ₹29,452 crore. This category includes ships and submarines. For Indian Air Force, increase of capital allocation is 4.46% (₹53,214.77 cr to ₹55,586.65), while Indian Army saw a cut of around 12% (₹36,482 cr to ₹32,015.3 cr) as compared to last year.

Sources confirmed that this allocation is in line with the threat in Indian Ocean. Speaking at the Navy Chief's annual press conference in December, Admiral Hari Kumar had said Indian Navy keeps Chinese ships under close surveillance. As per figures given by him, Chinese Navy had built 138 ships in the last 10 years and in terms of naval assets, it had emerged as the largest navy globally.

It was highlighted by the Navy Chief that while India has 130 ships and submarines, it wants to develop a 170-ship force, but there has been a tweak under the Maritime Capability Perspective Plan.

The committed liabilities of the Navy include a ₹43,000 crore project to build six conventional submarines in India. It is pushing for building a second aircraft carrier. The first one, Vikrant, is expected to be commissioned this year.

The government has also allocated extra capital funds to the Indian Coast Guard. It has been enhanced by 60.24%, to ₹4,246 crore from ₹2,650 crore. The Ministry of Defence has been allocated a total budget of ₹5.25 lakh crore.

Kudos for tele-mental healthcare plan

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @New Delhi

THE national tele-mental health programme will reach people in remote areas so that they can access these critical services. It will also help removing stigma.

"It is necessary to provide a complementarity of services for people who need mental healthcare," said Dr Pratima Murthy, Director and Senior Professor of Psychiatry at the National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru, at a Twitter Live on Wednesday.

The programme will include a network of 23 tele-mental health centres of excellence with NIMHANS being the nodal centre.

Zydus starts vax supply

Zydus Cadila on Wednesday announced it has started supplying its Covid-19 vaccine ZyCoV-D to the Central government. The company plans to make it available in the private market also.

Speaking on the importance of psychosocial wellbeing during the pandemic, Dr Murthy said the new programme will be able to provide "equitable mental healthcare to everyone."

Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman announced the national tele-mental health programme on Tuesday at the Union Budget. The programme will provide 24x7 free counselling and care.

"I think this is a great opportunity, and we've all been concerned about it earlier as everyone needs access to it." Dr Murthy said the middle and upper-class at least know about mental healthcare and could get access to it. "We are looking at strengthening primary care and having a psychiatrist at the district level and other mental healthcare professionals."

SEA TRIAL BEGINS

The sea trials for the fifth submarine of Project 75, which will include testing the propulsion systems, weapons and sensors of the warship, have commenced, the Indian Navy said

321 DIED WHILE CLEANING SEWERS, SEPTIC TANKS SINCE 2017: GOVT

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	21	09	Mumbai	29	20
Bhopal	29	09	Panaji	28	21
Jaipur	22	06	Patna	25	13
Amritsar	12	10	Lucknow	21	12
Chennai	31	24	Port Blair	30	23
Kolkata	27	21	Imphal	22	05
Srinagar	07	01	Chandigarh	17	10

ASSEMBLY ELECTION 2022 DECIDE

Anti-defection affidavits by Goa AAP

PANAJI: All 40 candidates of the AAP for the upcoming Goa Assembly polls on Wednesday signed affidavits promising that they will not indulge in corruption or defect. "The biggest problem with Goa's politics is the frequent defections. We want to weed it out even before people vote for our candidates," AAP convener and Delhi CM Arvind Kejriwal said addressing a press conference.

'Industry will suffer if SP returns to power'

LUCKNOW: Union Home Minister Amit Shah on Wednesday took the BJP campaign forward by conducting a door-to-door programme in Atrauli, the turf of former UP CM late Kalyan Singh. Cautioning people against voting for the SP-RLD combine, Shah claimed that if it was voted again, "industry will suffer, business will close down and only the reign of terror will prevail."

Yogi playing negative politics: Akhilesh

LUCKNOW: SP chief Akhilesh Yadav on Wednesday taunted CM Yogi Adityanath, claiming that his own party had "isolated" him and accused him of playing negativity politics. Speaking at Shamli with RLD's Jayant Chaudhary, Yadav attacked the CM over his "language". Yadav said the election would be a "Bhaichara banaam Bharatiya Janata Party (brotherhood versus the BJP)" contest.

To abide by the decision of high command on CM face of party

NOT A DUPLICATE AAM AADMI, KEJRIWAL AN OUTSIDER: CM CHANNI

AS Punjab inches closer to Assembly election, the ruling Congress has been witnessing debates whether the party should announce a chief ministerial candidate ahead of the polls. Incumbent Chief Minister **Charanjit Singh Channi** tells **Harpreet Bajwa** that voters need a CM face and he will support whichever person the party announces for this job. Excerpts:

What are the chances of Congress retaining power? How many seats you think the party will win?
We will retain all the seats we won in the last election; our numbers will not come down.

Your party has been facing a lot of infighting and many leaders have rebelled as they didn't get tickets. Don't you think this will harm the party?
People want tickets from the party which is expected to get maximum seats and form the next government. When leaders don't get tickets, some resentment is bound to happen but in the course of time it will be sorted out. There are not many rebels and we will be able to pacify them.

Your bother is fighting as an independent candidate from Bassi Pathana against the official candidate. Will you go and campaign for him?
As every party has the right to fight the elections, every person also has the right to be in the fray. I have requested him not to fight the elections as an independent. I am a disciplined solider of the party and will not campaign for him.

The high command wants the polls to be fought under a collective leadership. Then why you and Navjot Singh Sidhu have differences of opinion on declaring a CM face?
It is the demand of the public. All other parties have declared their CM candidate. In Punjab, Assembly elections are fought on CM face as people vote for the CM face. Now the party is taking the opinion of workers and public, and based on their feedback a name will be announced. Last time the party had made Capt Amarinder Singh the CM face.

If the party projects Sidhu as the CM candidate, will you abide by the decision?
I have already said that we are fighting for Punjab and not for ourselves. We are with the person whom the party projects. Last time it was Capt Amarinder Singh and we were with him with heart and soul.

What are your comments on the ED raids at your nephew's premises in connection with sand mining?
The BJP along with other parties are targeting me and my family. They want to finish me off politically as we are returning to power again. The money was recovered from somewhere else. It had nothing to do with me but my photos were flashed.

The AAP put my photos with the seized money. We are filing a defamation case against Arvind Kejriwal and we have already sent a legal notice.

Will farmer's entry to politics impact your prospects?
Everyone has a right to fight elections in a democratic system.

You say that you are a common man (aam aadmi) and you project yourself like that. Will this help as the AAP claims you are a 'duplicate aam aadmi'?
How can I be a duplicate aam aadmi? I come from the grassroots as I was born in a poor family and raised in a village. I fought elections in college and became a councillor three times, twice president of municipal committee and three times MLA. I am a Punjabi, Kejriwal is an outsider..

Why are you fighting from two constituencies?
It is the decision of the high command. They have given me ticket from Bhadaur and told me to fight from this seat also. I will abide by the party's directive. This is not a new precedent as in the last election Capt Amarinder Singh fought from Patiala (Urban) and Lambi. I will be fighting from Chamkaur Sahib as it is my traditional seat.

(Read full interview on www.newindianexpress.com)

UP turncoat ex-minister shifts base

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

FORMER Uttar Pradesh minister **Swami Prasad Maurya**, who left BJP for SP with two other ministers and around half-a-dozen BJP MLAs last month, has been given a ticket from Fazilnagar instead of his stronghold of Padrauna in Kushinagar. Fazilnagar adjoins Padrauna, which Maurya has been representing.

After joining BJP, defecting from BSP in 2016, Maurya had contested from Padrauna and is the sitting MLA from the seat. In Fazilnagar, Maurya will be facing BJP's Surendra Kushwaha, son of incumbent MLA Ganga Singh Kushwaha.

Since Maurya left BJP, there were speculations that the ruling party would field a strong candidate to corner him. In the mean time, senior Congress leader and the scion of Kushinagar royal family, RPN Singh joined BJP. Singh won from Padrauna in 1996, 2002 and 2007.

Political circles were abuzz with speculation that RPN will contest from Padrauna on a BJP ticket. In the 2009 Lok Sabha elections, he had defeated Maurya from the Kushinagar seat. Political rivalry between Maurya and Singh has been going on for a long time.

Sources said Maurya wanted to shift from Padrauna to Fazilnagar sensing anti-incumbency against him. Maurya said Fazilnagar would be a challenge and the stronger the challenge was, the better he felt. "My workers accept my popularity everywhere. I welcome whatever has been decided for me by the party's national president," said Maurya. He refused to acknowledge the Singh factor. "There will perhaps be no candidate weaker than RPN Singh if BJP fields him."

NONE SPARED AS MAYA APPEARS IN FIRST POLL RALLY

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BSP chief Mayawati at an election campaign rally in Agra on Wednesday | PTI

The tasks undertaken by our regime were copied by the parties which succeeded us. We should be brought back for the welfare of all castes and communities — Mayawati, BSP chief

STEPPING out to address her first public rally for the upcoming UP Assembly election, Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP) chief Mayawati on Wednesday launched a scathing attack on her political rivals including the SP Congress and the BJP — one-by-one — in Agra on Wednesday. Agra will go to polls in the first phase on February 10.

Calling upon the voters to reject all three parties, the former UP CM, who helmed the state for four times, accused her rivals of giving a tough time to the people.

Seeking votes in the name of law and order by reminding people of her governance, Mayawati urged supporters to stay vigilant against opinion polls.

While taking the SP to task, Mayawati said its rule was dominated by goons and hooligans. "SP worked only for one caste and tormented the SC and ST," she said.

Calling Congress "master of theatrics", the BSP chief claimed that when it was in power it never thought of women emancipation.

Similarly, putting the BJP on her firing line, the BSP chief accused the saffron brigade of following only the policies propounded by the RSS.

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'40% jobs for women in Uttarakhand'

VINEET UPADHYAY @ Dehradun

CONGRESS general secretary Priyanka Gandhi on Wednesday said that if the party forms government in the state, women will be provided 40% reservation in government jobs.

After releasing the party's manifesto for the hill state, she addressed people across 70 Assembly seats virtually. "In our manifesto, we have promised to limit the LPG cylinder price to ₹500, 40% reservation for women in government jobs in Uttarakhand, constitution of a separate 'Tourism Police', 40% reservation for women in police jobs in Uttarakhand, increment in salaries of ASHA workers," said the Congress leader.

Priyanka said the PM bought himself two aircraft for ₹16,000 crore. "He could have paid ₹14,000 crore to sugarcane farmers. He chose his planes over farmers," she said.

Priyanka Gandhi releases manifesto in Dehradun on Wednesday | PTI

Was CM choice of MLAs after Captain exit: Jakhar

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

EVEN as the Congress looks to picking its CM face in Punjab soon, the slugfest over the post as well as fighting for poll tickets continues.

The party has started taking people's feedback via phone calls, with incumbent Chief Minister Charanjit Singh Channi and state Congress president Navjot Singh Sidhu being the contenders. But in an indication that the selection of the CM candidate might not settle the debate, former state Congress chief Sunil Jakhar has claimed that he was the first choice of party MLAs after Amarinder Singh's exit.

A video that has gone viral shows Jakhar telling a group of people while campaigning for his nephew Sandeep Jakhar in Abohar that when Amarinder resigned, the high command had asked all 79 MLAs to give their first choice as CM. Jakhar, who is the chairman of Congress campaign committee, is heard claiming that while 42 MLAs took his name, 16 preferred Sukhjinder Randhawa and 12 picked Parneet Kaur. Only 6 MLAs chose Sidhu while Channi was the choice of just two, he claimed.

He further said he rejected Rahul Gandhi's offer of deputy chief ministership. However, he hastened to add that he had no complaints. In its phone survey, the Congress has given the names of Channi and Sidhu while the third option is that the party should go to polls without a CM face.

Another trouble the Congress facing is that at least eight prominent leaders have chosen to contest as Independents. These include Channi's brother Manohar Singh. The party is trying to persuade them to withdraw their nominations.

Jharkhand couple sells 5-month-old son for ₹5,000

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

FORCED by poverty, a couple in Jharkhand's Gumla district "sold" their 5-month-old son for only ₹5,000, locals claimed.

Husband Bajrang Nayak is a rag picker and his wife, Gudia Devi, is a tuberculosis patient.

Reports said Devi and her husband Nayak have four children. They are now left with only three — Akash Kumar (9) and Khushi Kumari (13) who work as labourers at a brick kiln in Bihar, where the couple used to work, and 3-year old daughter Dipali Kumari.

Locals said they prevented the couple from "selling" their daughter. Devi and her daughter "live" under the shelter of a scrap shop while Nayak sleeps anywhere he finds a place on a footpath, locals said.

Nayak said they had to sell their child to meet the medical expenses of his wife. "We have four children; two of them work at a brick kiln at Bihta in Patna, while the third one lives with us. For the medical treatment of my wife, a TB patient, we had to sell our youngest child to a family in Gumla," said Nayak. The couple originally belongs to Bangru in Simdega. "We were unable to take care of the newborn due t o poverty," said Devi. "That's why we had to sell our child."

The local administration has directed social activists to get the child back. Officials have also made ration and clothes available for the couple and have arranged treatment of the woman.

"I have directed officials to visit the couple to whom they have sold the child and retrieve him. In case they face any problem, the local police will help," said District Supply Officer Gulam Samdani.

Livelihood opportunities will also be made available to the husband so that they don't have to take such a step in future, the official added.

Sub-Divisional Officer Ravi Anand said the children, who have been sent to the brick kiln were being traced. He said the person who is said to have mediated in sending the children to the brick kiln is also being traced.

Collegium clears 27 HC nominations

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court collegium headed by Chief Justice N V Ramana recommended 27 names for appointment as judges of various high courts, including the reiteration of eight candidates. As per the Memorandum of Procedure on appointments in higher judiciary, the Centre will have to now clear the eight reiterated names for judgeship.

Of the judicial officers recommended for elevation to the Delhi High Court, Poonam Bamba's name stood out as she retired in July 2021. But since her name was recommended by the high court before her retirement, she can be considered for elevation. The precedent: retired lower court judge Brijesh Sethi was elevated as Delhi High Court judge in May, 2019. He finally retired next year and is now with the NGT. While the retirement age for the lower judiciary is 60, it is 62 for high court and 65 for SC judges.

More community kitchens in the offing

The success of 'Mayor Anusuiya Rasoi' (community kitchen) in a few localities of Lucknow has encouraged the authorities to reach out to the needy in 10 new locations across the city. The Lucknow Municipal Corporation (LMC) currently caters to around 500 needy people in and around the Alambagh area daily through its kitchen facility. The civic body has estimated that it will be able to cater to 5,000 people by providing them healthy diet daily after the expansion of community kitchen. LMC plans to set up stalls near hospitals, railway stations, and bus and auto stands this month. Through the facility, the civic body feeds poor, labourers and attendants of patients at `10 per meal.

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LUCKNOW DIARY

PM replies to girl's postcard during radio programme

A postcard sent to PM Narendra Modi by a Prayagraj school girl found mention in his 'Mann Ki Baat' programme on the last Sunday of January — his first episode this year. Reacting to over a crore post-cards received from children, the PM said that they provided a glimpse of the outlook of present generation for the country's future. The PM specifically mentioned Navya Verma, a class VIII student of Patanjali Rishikul, Prayagraj as she had written: "I have a dream for India where all citizens will lead honourable and peaceful lives, farmers will be prosperous and the country will be corruption-free." The PM responded by saying, "Your dream for the country is admirable and the nation is treading in that direction. All citizens, especially youngsters, should come forward to make our country corruption-free."

Drug institute's bone health drug headed for US

CSIR-Central Drug Research Institute's osteoporosis drug launched in 2015 will be the first from the institute to be used by patients in the US. CDRI has given licence of its patented drug Caviunin Scaffold to the Boston-based Aveta Biomics – a leader in developing next generation of botanical drugs. Caviunin Scaffold has broad applications for bone health that includes its efficacy in treating osteoporosis, fracture healing, osteoarthritis and other endocrinological conditions. "The drug has a targeted action that prevents bone breakdown (bone resorption), stimulates new bone formation and reduces bone clinical markers," said principal scientist Ritu Trivedi.

New entrance to Kashi likely to open before polls

Now on, all pilgrims will be able to access the newly-constructed Kashi Vishwanath Dham in the same way from Ganga Dwar which PM Modi had used to enter the shrine after inaugurating it on December 13. The path will be opened by February 15 following its completion before polls. This entrance to the Dham, directly leading from the Ganga, was under construction when the expanded shrine was opened by the PM. Ganga Dwar will be opened three weeks before polls in Kashi on March 7. The Ganga Dwar near Manikarnika Ghat is nearing completion and divisional commissioner Deepak Agrawal is hopeful of opening it by February 10.

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (DRT-II)

Jeevan Mangal Building, 1st & 2nd Floor, No.4, Residency Road, Bengaluru-560025

O.A. No.1535/2019

Between:

Karnataka Bank, Naganathapura Branch, ...Applicant

And

Mr. Suresh & 1 Other ...Defenants

Summons under Rule 23(VIII) of Debts Recovery Tribunal (Procedure) Rules 1993 by way of Paper Publication

Mr. Suresh, S/o. Thangappan ...Defendant No1

Smt. Reji Suresh, S/o. Suresh Babu ...Defendant No.2

Both are residing at House No.2039, Basa veshwara Nilaya, 2nd Cross, Pipeline Road, Prashanth Nagar, Dasarahalli, Bengaluru -560057.

Whereas, the applicant has instituted an application U/S 19 of the Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act 1993 against you Both for Recovery of sum of **Rs. 34,81,533/-(Rupees Thirty Four Lakh Eighty One Thousand Five Hundred and Thirty Three Only)** together with current and future interest and other reliefs. You are hereby summoned to appear and file written statement before this Tribunal at **10.30 a.m.** or at such time immediately thereafter according to the convenience of Tribunal **on 20/5/22** answer the claim. 2. You are directed to collect the application and annexure on your appearance before the Tribunal. 3. If you intend to file any documents, you may file the same with a list along with the written statement. 4. You should file your registered address and memo of appearance when you enter appearance before the Tribunal either in person or by a pleader/ Advocate duly instructed. 5. Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal, on this the **24/01/22.**

BY ORDER OF TRIBUNAL
Sd/- REGISTRAR

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1 AT BANGALORE

No.4, First Floor, 'Jeevan Mangal' (LIC Building), Residency Road, Bengaluru-560 025.

O.A. No. 65/2020

BETWEEN: Bank of Baroda ... Applicant

AND: M/s Bhramari Apparels ... Defendants

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993

Whereas, the applicant has instituted an original application under Sec. 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Bankruptcy Act 1993 against you for the recovery of sum of **Rs. 18,09,254.39/-** (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Nine Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Four and Paisa Thirty Nine only) in Account No. 181009041000054 with future interest @ 11% per annum and a sum of **Rs. 3,18,770/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Eighteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy only) in Account No. 181006211000052 with future interest @ 10.6% per annum totally a sum of **Rs. 21,28,024.39/-** (Rupees Twenty one Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand and Twenty Four and Paisa Thirty Nine only) outstanding as on 31-12-2019 being the amount due together with current and future interest at the rate of 12.80% from the date of the application till realization to the Applicant Bank, being the debt due in respect of the Loan facility availed by the Defendants with current and future interest and other reliefs.

The above mentioned defendant/s is/are therefore hereby directed to appear before this Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly authorized agent of his/their defense to show cause on **21-04-2022** at 10.30 A.M. as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take summons that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on 31-01-2022.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-1, Bangalore.

To, **Defendant: M/s Bhramari Apparels,** Represented by its proprietor, Sri Vasantha Shetty, S/o Muddappa Shetty, aged about 55 years, No. 3, 1st Main, 1st Cross, Karkallu Kamakshipalya, Bengaluru-560079. And also at No. 7, 1st A Cross, Ranganathaapura, Magadi Main Road, Kamakshipalya, Bangalore-560079.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **Sri.Balasubramanya Iyer** is the owner of immovable property mentioned in the schedule hereunder and he has lost the original 1) General Power of Attorney dated 12/12/2017 bearing Document No.424 / 2017-18, Book-IV, stored in CD No.424, executed by Sri.C.I.Rama Rao in favour of his Third Son Sri.C.R.Pranesh registered in the office of sub registrar, Basavanagudi (Banashankari), Bangalore 2) General Power of Attorney dated 10/11/2017 bearing Document No.295 / 2017-18, Book-IV, stored in CD No.319, executed by Smt.R.L.Sumithra, Smt.R.L.Ramamani, Sri.Ananthaswamy and Sri.R.L.Krishnaswamy in favour of Sri.Prasanna Sharma registered in the office of sub registrar, Basavanagudi, Bangalore, pertaining to the schedule property. In case anybody is in possession of the said document, the same shall be handover to the undersigned within SEVEN DAYS from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of the Property No.7-1-510-38A, Old Khatha No.608C, Present Nagarasabhe Khatha No.85/608C, situated at Agrahara, 1st Block, 2nd Cross, 38A, Ward No.7, Ramanagara Town, Ramanagara District, measuring east to west 11 ½ feet and north to south 53 feet, totally measuring 609.5 Square feet

Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of the Property No.7-1-510-38D, Old Khatha No.608E, Present Nagarasabhe Khatha No.85/608B, situated at Agrahara, 1st Block, 2nd Cross, 38D, Ward No.7, Ramanagara Town, Ramanagara District, measuring east to west 16 ½ feet and north to south 53 feet, totally measuring 874.5 Square feet

Both item No.1 and 2 measuring east to west 28 feet and north to south 53 feet, totally measuring 1484 Square feet 1484 Square feet and bounded on : **East by :** C.L.Ramarao and others today purchased by Sri.Anantha Krishna.PY measuring 5X53 feet Site, **West by :** G.Venkateshamurthy's Property, **North by :** C.L.Gundurao and others and C.L.Raghavendra Rao and others today purchased by Sri.Anantha Krishna.PY measuring 33X53 feet Site, **South by :** Municipal Road.

N. JAGADEESH KUMAR, Advocate, No.276. 2nd Floor, 1st Main Road, Chamarajpet, Bangalore-560018.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify that my client, has decided to enter into an agreement to purchase the property bearing Municipal Assessment No. 234/24/57/81 Document No. 167799 Property No. 16-537-984 situated at Vidyanagara Kalyagate, Magadi Town, Ramanagara District, measuring East to West 9.144018 meters, North to South 12.192024 meters, more particularly described herein below in the schedule hereinafter be referred to as the schedule property for valuable consideration. If anybody is having any valid claim, interest or right over the property they should write to undersigned with supporting documents within 10 days from the date of this publication. If no such claims are received within the above said period, my client will be at liberty to proceed to purchase the schedule property treating as there is no claim whatsoever to the schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Municipal Assessment No. No. 234/24/57/81 Document No. 167799 Property No. 16-537-984 situated at Vidyanagara Kalyagate Magadi Town, Ramanagara District, measuring East to West 9.144018 meters, North to South 12.192024 meters and bounded on **East:** Navaza Khan Property, **West:** 15 feet Road **North:** Venkataramanappa property, **South:** 12 feet Road.

Basavaraju .S.N, Advocate No.37, Mayur Nivas, 3rd Cross, 4th Main, Chamarajapet, Bangalore-560 018. Ph: 9343445558, 82174 73167

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that our client Mr. Aakar Gupta S/o. Dinesh Gupta, is the absolute owner of the Property bearing Northern Portion of Property No. 2, formerly Nos. 2 & 3, previously Nos. 178/3 & 178/4, later Nos. 47 & 48, Uttaradhi Mutt Lane, Ward No. 28, Bengaluru, (PID No. 28-160-2) Measuring East to West 20 feet and North to South 13.53 feet, and bounded on East by; Property of Bale Annaiappa & Ghindi Muniyappa, West by; Uttaradhi Mutt Lane, North by; Property belongs to Donor and South by; Remaining Portion of the property gifted to Donee.

While renovating his house No. 28, 2nd Cross, Gavipuram Extension, Bengaluru-560 019, our client has lost the Original Release Deed dated 13/4/1998 (Registered on 15/04/1998) Document No. 99/1998-99, Book-1, Original Release Deed dated 13/4/1998 (Registered on 15/04/1998) Document No. 100/1998-99, Book-1, Original Sale Deed dated 29/11/2012, Document No. 2767/2012-13, Book-1 and Original Partition Deed dated 01/06/1953, Doc No. 808/1953-54, Book 1, pertaining to the said property.

In the event any person finds or in possession of the above said original documents, kindly handover the same to the below mentioned address within 7 days of the publication of this notice. The general public are informed not to act on the basis of the said original document.

SOMASHEKHARA .A.N, Advocate No. 105, 3rd Floor, MR Mansion, 12th 'D' Main Road, Muthyalanagar, Bengaluru - 560 054.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is given on behalf of our clients **Mr. D.V. Singh**, S/o Late Sri. Raghuvir Singh Ahluwalia, aged about 84 years, and **Mrs. Madhu Singh**, W/o Mr. D.V. Singh, aged about 77 years, both residing at 17076, Prestige Shantiniketan, ITPL Main Road, whitefield, Mahadevpura post, Bangalore 560048, that the **original Sale Deed dated 25th October 2000** bearing **Document No. 7160/2000-2001** registered with the Sub Registrar office of KR Puram, Bangalore executed between **Mr. G. Basavaraj,** represented by his GPA Holder Mr. M. Jayashankar **and our clients Mr. D.V. Singh & Mrs. Madhu Singh** for **Property bearing Khata No. 03&** Property Nos. 50/2, 50/1A5a (old Khata No. 134 & 50, H L No. 50/2-5 & 50/1A5a-5) **Sl. No. 59 in PALM MEADOWS** assessed now under BBMP and earlier under Mahadevapura Municipal Corporation situated at **Nellurahalli Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Now Bangalore East Taluk (Earlier Bangalore South Taluk),** measuring East 52 feet 6 inches, West 52 feet 6 inches, North 90 feet and South 90 feet and **totally measuring 4725 Sq. Ft.,** has been lost/misplaced by our clients Mr. D.V. Singh and Mrs. Madhu Singh; for which the undersigned has registered an appropriate Lost Article complaint vide e-Lost Report No. 0148766/2022 on 1st February 2022 with Karnataka State Police (Bangalore City unit).

If anyone finds these documents, please return it to the undersigned party. All the persons are hereby informed not to deal or carry out any transaction with anyone on the basis of the above-mentioned missing documents. If anyone has already carried out any transaction or any transaction is in the process of being carried out using these missing documents, kindly inform the undersigned party in writing at the below mentioned address within 7days from the day of this paper publication after which no claim shall be entertained by our clients.

Sd/- **Anupam Agarwal**
RAMNIWAS SURAJMAL (Advocates & Solicitors) No. 506, 'A' Wing, Mittal Tower, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560 001. Phone No.: 9740645762
Email: anupam@rslegal.in
Place: Bangalore Date: 03/02/2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our client/s intends to purchase bearing Site No.75 situated in the Layout formed by M/s NTI Housing Co-Operative Society Ltd and known as Rajivgandhinagar, II Phase and formed out of various Survey Numbers of Kodigehalli, Kothihosahalli, and Byatarayanapura Villages, Yelahanka Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk (earlier Bangalore North Taluk), Bangalore and more fully described in the Schedule and hereinafter referred to as Schedule property from its owner **Dr.Venkatesh Neglur S/o Sri. N.V. Neglur** R/a No.17, SBM Colony, Chunchughatte Main Road. Konanikunte, Bangalore 560062.

Any person /persons /entities /firms /corporate's /institutions /financial institutions /Banks /NBFC's, claiming to have any right /title /interest in the schedule Property in any manner or any objections for such alienation of the Schedule-Property, may lodge their objections in writing with documentary proof **within 12 (Twelve)** days from the date of publication of this notice to the undersigned, failing which, our client shall proceed with the purchase of the Schedule-Property and any claims thereafter will not be entertained and will be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of residential site demarcated as **Site No.75** in the Layout Plan approved by the Bangalore Development Authority in several Survey Numbers of **Kodigehalli, Byatarayanapur, Kothihosahalli Villages, Yelahanka Hobli, earlier Bangalore North Taluk, Now Yelahanka Taluk, named as "Rajeev Gandhi Nagar" NTI Layout, 2nd Phase, Bangalore - 560 092,** including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto and measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South:30 feet in all measuring 1200 Sq.Feet or 133.33 Sq.Yards Together with all rights, Appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows:

On the East By : 30 Feet Road
On the West By : Site No. 102
On the North By : Site No. 74
On the South By : Site No. 76

Surendra .T, Advocate, No.26, "RAGHAVENDRA NILAYA", 1st Cross, P & T Colony, Behind New Shantisagar Restaurant, R.T.Nagar, Bangalore-560 032. Cell Phone 9448694715
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BEFORE THE HON'BLE ARBITRATION & CONCILIATION CENTRE, BENGALURU

Arbitration Case No. 127/2021
in
CMP No. 149/2018

Between: Sri Venkataswamy Reddy, Since deceased represented by his LRs
Smt. Rathi and others ...Claimants

And:

1. **M/s. Nirman Sonestaa Developers,**
2. **Smt. Kamakshi. 3. Sirilakshmi Babu Reddy 4. Siridevi.** 5. **Darshan K. Reddy,** 6. **Geetha T. Reddy** 7. **Sushmitha** 8. **Sujith T. Reddy** 9. **Hemalatha K,** 10. **Nishitha K. Reddy,** 11. **Harshith K. Reddy ...Respondents**

SUMMONS TO THE RESPONDENT No.9 TO 11

R9) Smt. Hemalatha K, D/o. Late B.N. Venkataswamy Reddy, W/o. Keshava Reddy, Aged about 52 years.

R10) Kum. Nishitha K. Reddy, D/o. Keshava Reddy, Aged about 24 years

R11) Sri Harshith K. Reddy S/o. Keshava Reddy, Aged about 20 years, Respondent No.9 to 11 are R/at No.64, Motappa Palya, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560 038.

WHEREAS, the plaintiffs hereby instituted the above petition for the relief of direct the respondent No. 1 to complete the constructions work of our share and damages and other consequential relief/s. You are hereby summoned to appear before this Hon'ble court in person or by a pleader **on 28.02.2022 at 12 noon** to answer the same, failing which the above suit will be disposed off ex-parte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this the 2nd day of February 2022.

By order of the Tribunal, Section Officer, Arbitration & Conciliation Centre - Bangalore (High Court of Karnataka) Bengaluru - 01.

Advocate for Plaintiff :
V. Vishwanath & Naveen Kumar N.S., No. 16, 4th Floor, Victory Avenue Building, Hospital Road, Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This notice is issued on behalf of our client **Sri A. MURUGAN** S/o Late Armugam, R/at No.387, 1st Cross, Papaiah Layout, Old Madiwala, Bangalore-560068, Mobile No: 9972808818, to bring to the notice of the General Public that the original registered Sale Deed dated 03-01-1975 vide document bearing Doc No: 3454/1975-76 of Book-I, Volume 281 pages 128-130, executed by M.R. Narayana Reddy S/o Ramaiah Reddy, in favour Sri V. Chinnaswamy Reddy S/o Venkatappa Reddy, registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar Jayanagara, Bangalore, is misplaced and my client has also lodged Police Complaint on 02-02-2022 lost Report No.0149354/2022.

If any Person/s, Firm, Company, Institution or Organization has any claim are holding the afore mentioned document they may contact the undersigned, in writing within **7 days** from the date of this notice, failing which it will be presumed that there are no claims.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing PID No. 65/274-3, Old Site No.1/4A, Sy No.1/4A, Situated at 13th Cross, Old Madiwala, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, presently within the limits of BBMP and bounded on: **East by :** Road, **West by :** Private Property, **North by :** Private Property, **South by :** Property of Narayana Reddy.

P.M. GOPI,
MYLARAIAH ASSOCIATES, Advocates, No.23, Ground Floor, Suraj Sadan Apartment 2nd Cross, Gandhinagara, Bangalore-560009.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby informed that my client proposes to purchase from Sri. M.P. Hara Prasad, S/o M.D. Puttaswamy, Residing at Mavenahally, Kaimara Post, Chikamagaluru District, the immovable residential property described in schedule herein below. My client is informed that the said Sri. M.P. Hara Prasad is the present absolute owner of the Property and the same is his self-acquired property.

Any persons having objections to the above mentioned transaction, if any persons claiming to have any manner of right, title, interest, claim or demand in relation to the property or any part thereof may lodge his/her/their objections and or claims in writing alongwith the documentary evidence in support thereof with undersigned, within **7 days** from the date of publication of the notice. In the absence of any genuine or rights, objections, my client will proceed to conclude the mentioned transaction.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing vacant site No.59, Katha No.28/2, in portion of Assessment No.28/2, situated at Kasaghattapura Village, Kasaghattapura Grama Panchayath Limits, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore and measuring East to West 100 Feet and North to South 50 feet, totally measuring 5000 Sq.ft. and bounded on: **East by :** Road, **West by :** Private Property, **North by :** Site No.60, **South by :** Site No.58 and Private Property.

H.S. SATHISH KUMAR, Advocate, No.360, 8th Main Road, 3rd Stage, 4th Block, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-560079.

LOSS OF DOCUMENTS

My client **SRI.KANTHA KUMAR R.M.,** R/a, No.25/8, Rampura, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, had lost the following original documents with respect to the Schedule Property.

1. Sale Deed dated 02-08-2004, executed by Sri.H.B.Anup Kumar in favour of Sri.P.M.Manimekalai, registered as Document No. KRI-1-12505/2004-05, in Book-I, stored in CD No.KRID68, at Sub-Registrar Office K.R.Puram.

If any person finds the aforesaid Original Deeds kindly handover the same to my address mentioned hereunder within **Fourteen (14) days** from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.31, Property No.384/2-84/31, in converted Sy.No.84, converted for residential purpose vide order No. BDS/ALN/SR/(E)230/2003-04, dated 08-04-2004, by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, Situated at Hoodi Village (Hoodi to K.R.Puram Main Road) K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now comes under BBMP Limits, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 50 Feet and North to South: 34 Feet, in all measuring 1700 Sq. Ft. and bounded on:

East by : Site No.26,
West by : 25 Feet Road,
North by : Private Property
South by : Site No.30

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Advocate, #47/1, F1, First Floor, Austin Plaza, F Kittel Nagar, Neelasandra, Bengaluru- 47 **Contact No. 8197581136**

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client Sri. S.C. Tilak, S/o the late S Chander. R/ at No 96, Dasappa Colony, St. John's Road Cross. Bengaluru - 560 042. have lost the original Sale Deed dated 02.02.1987, regd. as No. 2980/86-87 in Book - I, Volume 2577 at pages 127 to 134 in the Office of the Sub-Registrar. Shivajinagar, Bangalore, executed by Sri. Syed Noorulla, S/o. Sri Syed Hassan Ali Saheb. in favour of my client's father the late Sri. S. Chander in respect of **Schedule 'A' Property** and another original Sale Deed dated 02.02.1987. regd. as No. 2981/86~87 in Book - I. Volume 2971 at pages 219 to 226 in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Shivapnagar, Bangalore, executed by Sri . B. Abdul Rawoof Ansari. S/o. the late Basheer Ansari and Sri. B.Abdul Mujeeb Ansari, S/o M. S. Habeeb Ansari in favour of my client's father the late Sri S Chander in respect of the **"Schedule 'B' Property"** have been misplaced /lost by him, in this regard he has lodged a Police Complaint With Commercial Street Police Station, Bengaluru, on 01.02.2022 vide Lost Report No 0148203/2022

If any person/s finds the aforesaid original documents, he/she/they inform the undersigned further, if there are any claims or interest of whatsoever nature over the aforesaid properties, the interested person/s Bank/s, Creditor/s, Financial Institution/s, firm/s, statutory authorities or any other/s must present his/her/their/its claims/ objections with the undersigned in writing along with documentary proof within seven days from the date of this publication. In the event, such claims are not lodged with me within the stipulated time, it will be presumed that the **Schedule Properties** are free from any claims and my client will proceed with the Schedule Properties without being liable for any claim/s put forth thereafter.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY,

All that piece and parcel of land with structure standing thereon and forming part of First Floor portion of premises bearing Corporation Old No. 116. New No. 42, and later No. 42/1, situate at Dispensary Road, Bengaluru. Measuring East to West 24 feet and North to South 40 feet and bounded on the East by: Dada Gull Mohammed Saif's property. West by - Masilamani Chetty's house. North by: Masilamani Chetty's house and South by: Dispensary Road.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY,

All that piece and parcel of land with structure standing thereon and forming part of ground Floor portion of premises bearing Corporation Old No. 116, New No. 42. situate at Dispensary Road, Bengaluru, measuring East to West: 24 feet and North to South 40 feet and bounded on the East by: A lane leading to the entrance of first floor of premises bearing Old No. 116, New No 42 and later No. 42/1, Dispensary Road. West by: Masilamani Chetty's house, North by: Masilamani Chetty's house and South by Dispensary Road.

P VENKATARAMANA
Advocate
No.44/13, Shop No 3, First Floor, (Above Delhi Bhavan Sweet & Chats, Kamaraj Road, Bangalore - 560 042. Mob: 9880590601 / 9449203840
Bangalore Date: 01/02/2022

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CERTIFICATES LOST

This is to inform the general public that, I, **MOHAMMED NOAMAN DAMUDI,** S/o Mr. Abdul Rahman Damudi, Have Lost or misplaced my Original **BBM Degree Certificate (April 1994) & MBA Degree Certificate (April 1996)** which were issued to me by the **Bangalore University** and the same could not be traced till now inspite of my best efforts.

Therefore, any person/s traces/ finds, the above said documents may kindly be hand over same to the undersigned.

Sd/-
MOHAMMED NOAMAN DAMUDI
S/o Abdul Rahman Damudi,
No. 7, 1st Main, 1st Cross,
Opp: Venugopal Layout,
Ganganagar, R.T. Nagar,
Bengaluru – 560 032
Place: Bengaluru Dated: 02.02.2022

DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I BENGALURU

No. 4, 2nd Floor, LIC Jeevan Mangal Building Residency Road, Bengaluru- 560025

RC No. 12491

IDBI Bank Limited, Loan Centre, No. 326, Ashwini Complex, 1st & 2nd Floor, 6th Main, 80 Feet Road, Indiranagar, Bengaluru-560038.
.....Certificate Holder

Versus

Mr Jeevan Marcel James & Anothers .....Certified Debtors

DEMAND NOTICE

To,
Mr Jeevan Marcel James, Apartment No. 204, Anksha Residency, 1st Floor, Plot No. 39, 2nd Cross Street, Sri Satya Saibaba Layout, K R Puram, Bengaluru - 560036.

Also at : Mr Jeevan Marcel James Offshore Project Manager, AON Specialist Service Pvt Ltd, 13-14-15, EPIP Industrial Area, 1st Phase, Whitefield, Bengaluru - 560066.

Mr Glory Rachel Jeevan, Apartment No. 204, Anksha Residency, 1st Floor, Plot No. 39, 2nd Cross Street, Sri Satya Saibaba Layout, K R Puram, Bengaluru - 560036.

In view of the Recovery Certificate issued in **O.A. No. 329/2013** passed by the Presiding Officer, DRT-1, Bengaluru on 26th September 2017 an amount of **Rs.31,01,286/-** (Rupees Thirty One Lakhs One Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Six Only) is due against you along with interest and costs from the date of filling of O.A.s till realization. You are hereby called upon to deposit the amount within 15 days of the receipt of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made as per rules.

In additions to the sum aforesaid you will be liable to pay:

a) Such interest as is payable for the period commencing immediately after this notice of the execution proceedings.

b) all cost, charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and other process that may be taken for recovering the amount due.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Tribunal on this 30th day of July 2018.

Sd/- (RAJASEKHARAN.R)
RECOVERY OFFICER-1
DRT - I, BENGALURU

Note : Attention is invited to Rule 16 of the Second Schedule of the Income Tax Act 1961 read with recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 which is reproduced below:

"Rule 16(1) where a notice has been served on a defaulter under Rule 2, the defaulter or his representative or his representative in interest shall not be competent to mortgage, charge, lease or otherwise deal with any property belonging to him except with the permission of the Debts Recovery Officer, nor shall any civil court issue any process against such property in execution of a decree for the payment of money.

(2) Where an attachment has been made under this schedule any private transfer or delivery of the property attached or of any interest therein and any payment to the defaulter of any debt, dividend or other monies contrary to such attachment, shall be void, as against all claims enforceable under the attachment."

HDFC — HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION LTD. CIN L70100MH1977PLC019916

Regd. Office: Ramon House, H T Parekh Marg, 169, Backbay Reclamation, Churchgate, Mumbai- 400020
Regional Office : HDFC House, No.51, Kasturaba Road, Bangalore - 560001. **Ph :** 080 41183000
Fax: 080 22275754, **E-mail : customer.service@hdfc.com, Website:** www.hdfc.com

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13 (2) of the Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd. (HDFC Limited)** under Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued Demand Notice under Section 13 (2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) listed hereunder, to pay the amounts mentioned in the Demand Notice, within 60 days from the date of the said Notice, as per details given below. The undersigned have, caused/are getting the said Notice to be pasted on the premises of the last known respective addresses of the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s). Copies of the said Notice are available with the undersigned, and the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s), may, if they so desire, collect the respective copy from the undersigned on any working day during normal office hours.

In connection with the above, Notice is hereby given, once again, to the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) to pay to HDFC Limited, within 60 days from the date of publication of this Notice, the amount indicated hereinbelow in their name(s), together with further interest @ 18% p.a. as detailed in the said Demand Notice from the date mentioned below in column (c) till the date of payment and / or realisation, read with the loan agreement and other documents/writings, if any, executed by the said Borrower(s). As security for due repayment of the loan, the following Secured Asset has been mortgaged to HDFC Limited by the said Borrower (s) respectively.

Attention of the Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative (s)	Total Outstanding Dues	Date of Demand Notice	(Description of Secured Asset in respect of which Security Interest has been created)
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(f)
1	**(1) Mr. Vikas Mohan Jadhav (Borrower),** Flat No: J9-201,2nd Floor, Provident Wellworth City, Kadthanamale Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bengaluru - 561203, **(2) Mr. Vikas Mohan Jadhav,** Computer Science Corporation, **Designation:** Sr. Test Engineer, **Department:** Testing, **Employee No:** 1450414, #82, Augusta, Embassy Golf Links Park, Koramangala, Inner Ring Road, Domlur, Bengaluru 560071, **(3) Mr. Vikas Mohan Jadhav,** #40/22,16th Main, 16th Cross, BTM 2nd Stage, Near Mahadeshwara Bus Stop, Bangalore 560076, **(4) Mr. Vikas Mohan Jadhav,** Room No. 103, Sai PG, Veerannapalya Main Road, Opp. Ruchi Sagar, Nagavara, Bangalore 560032.	**Loan Account No. 606710883 Rs.20,07,969/-** (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Nine Only) **as on 30.11.2021**	16.12.2021 **N.P.A. Date: (e) 31.10.2021**	All that piece and parcel of a **Three bed room** Residential Apartment bearing **No. 201,** constructed on the **2nd Floor of Block/Wing J-9** in the building known as **'PROVIDENT WELWORTH CITY',** having super built up area **of 1075 sq. ft.** and UDS (undivided share) of **0.0239 %** accruing to **312.47 sq. ft.** in the land on which the building is constructed with open reserved car parking space and proportionate share in common areas and club house area between apartments , situated at s no 30 to 34, 161, Kadthanamale Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore.
2	**(1) Mr. Sridhar N (Borrower), Designation:** Akash Milk Suppliers, No.61, 13th Cross, RBI Colony Road, Ganganagar, Anandnagar, Bengaluru 560024, **(2) Mr. Sridhar N,** Municipal No 27.PID No.98-43-27, Plot 27, S No 38, House 27,13th Cross, Ganganagar North, Ward No.98, Gangenahalli Village, 46th Division, Bengaluru 560 029, **(3) Mrs. A Bharathi (Co-Borrower), Designation:** Akash Agency, No.61, 13th Cross, RBI Colony Road, Ganganagar, Anandnagar, Bengaluru 560024, **(4) Mrs. A Bharathi,** Municipal No 27.PID No.98-43-27, Plot 27, S No 38, House 27,13th Cross, Ganganagar North, Ward No.98, Gangenahalli Village, 46th Division, Bengaluru 560 029.	**Loan Account No. (1) 652434591 Rs.54,73,705/- (2) 652835965 Rs.20,46,832/- (3) 655148091 Rs. 3,29,877/- (4) 655196465 Rs. 1,21,688/- Total Rs.79,72,102/-** (Rupees Seventy Nine Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand One Hundred Two Only) **as on 30.11.2021**	28.12.2021 **N.P.A. Date: (e) 31.08.2021**	All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Southern side Portion of Property bearing Municipal **No. 27 (Twenty Seven) PID NO. 98-43-27,** situated at 13th Cross, Ganganagar North, BMP Ward No. 98, Bangalore (Formerly property bearing Old No.1, Of Survey No.38, Gangenahalli Village, 46th Division, Bangalore), measuring East to West: 45 feet and North to South : 25 feet in all measuring 1125 Square feet, constructed Ground Floor -800 Square feet, First Floor -800 Square feet, Second Floor-800 Square feet in total **2400 Square feet** building built up area, mosaic Flooring with all civic amenities and bounded by: East by : Road, West by : Sri R.P. Muniswamappa's Property, North by : Portion of same property, South by : Property No. 2, And any construction thereon present and future.
3	**(1) Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur** Wife of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased] Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N G1903, Great Value Sharanam, Sec 107, Noida, Uttar Pradesh 201 301, **(2) Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur** Wife of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased], Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N, 31209, Bhartiya City Niko Homes, Tanisandra Main Road, Bengaluru 560 064, **(3) Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur** Wife of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased], Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N, #720, 7th Main, 4th B Cross, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bangalore 560043, **(4) Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur** Wife of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased], Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr.Havanur Gururaj N, Flat-31805. Floor-18, Bhartiya City (Nikoo Homes), Chokkanahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bengaluru 560 063, **(5) Master Jashitha Gururaj Havanur** Son of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased] Represented by Guardian Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur, Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, G1903, Great Value Sharanam, Sec 107, Noida, Uttar Pradesh 201 301, **(6) Master Jashitha Gururaj Havanur** Son of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased] Represented by Guardian Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, 31209, Bhartiya City Niko Homes, Tanisandra Main Road, Bengaluru 560 064, **(7) Master Jashitha Gururaj Havanur** Son of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased] Represented by Guardian Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur, Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, #720, 7th Main, 4th B Cross, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bangalore 560043, **(8) Master Jashitha Gururaj Havanur** Son of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased] Represented by Guardian Mrs. Smitha Gururaj Havanur, Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, Flat-31805, Floor-18, Bhartiya City (Nikoo Homes), Chokkanahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bengaluru 560 063, **And other known and unknown Legal Heir(s) of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower)** [since deceased] Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, G1903, Great Value Sharanam, Sec 107, Noida, Uttar Pradesh 201 301, **And other known and unknown Legal Heir(s)** of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased] Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, 31209, Bhartiya City Niko Homes, Tanisandra Main Road, Bengaluru 560 064, **And other known and unknown Legal Heir(s) of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower)** [since deceased] Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, #720, 7th Main, 4th B Cross, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bangalore 560043, **And other known and unknown Legal Heir(s), of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower)** [since deceased] Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N, Flat-31805, Floor-18, Bhartiya City (Nikoo Homes), Chokkanahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bengaluru 560 063, **9) Mrs. Havanur Poornamala N (Co-borrower),** Mother of Mr. Havanur Gururaj N (Borrower) [since deceased], Legal Heir(s), Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of

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migrants who were "stripped of clothes & pushed back" by Greece have frozen to death at the border, says Turkey

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • LS: Light Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	4	-8	SNY	Los Angeles	19	6	SNY
Colombo	30	22	SNY	Melbourne	18	13	LR
Dhaka	27	18	SNY	Moscow	-5	-9	LC
Dubai	26	16	SNY	New York	6	4	HR
Houston	3	-5	HR	Singapore	32	25	TDS
Istanbul	6	2	HR	Toronto	-3	-13	SW
London	11	7	LC	Washington	14	9	LR

West trying to draw Russia into war: Putin

Biden dispatches addl US troops to eastern Europe as NATO leaders pursue diplomatic efforts on Ukraine crisis

MOSCOW

NATO leaders pursued diplomatic efforts on the Ukraine crisis on Wednesday after President Vladimir Putin accused the West of trying to draw Russia into a war but left the door open to further talks.

Meanwhile, a senior official of President Joe Biden's administration said the United States plans to deploy troops to fortify NATO forces in eastern Europe amid fears that Russia could invade Ukraine.

British Prime Minister Boris Johnson was to talk by phone to Putin a day after visiting Kyiv, where Dutch Prime Minister Mark Rutte was the latest NATO leader to visit in shows of solidarity with Ukraine.

Recent weeks have seen a flurry of diplomacy to avert a feared Russian invasion of Ukraine, after Moscow amassed tens of thousands of troops on the pro-Western country's borders.

Leaked docs reveal US trust-building offer to Russia

Brussels: Washington and its NATO allies have offered Moscow arms control and trust-building measures to defuse the threat of a new Russian offensive against Ukraine, according to documents published by El Pais on Wednesday. The proposals, set out in letters by NATO and the United States last month in response to Russian demands, remain firm on insisting that Ukraine and any other sovereign country has a right to apply to join the alliance. But the reported US response — posted to the Spanish daily's website — suggests "reciprocal commitments by both the United States and Russia to refrain from deploying offensive ground-launched missile systems and permanent forces with a combat mission in the territory of Ukraine". AFP

Western leaders have warned that any attack would be met with "severe consequences" including wide-ranging economic sanctions. Russia denies any plans to invade, instead accusing the West of failing to respect Moscow's security concerns on its borders.

Russian officials have put forward a series of demands to ease tensions, including bans on Ukraine joining NATO and the deployment of missile systems near Russia's borders, as well as a pullback of the US-led military alliance's forces in eastern Europe.

In his first major remarks on the crisis in weeks, Putin on Tuesday accused the West of ignoring Russia's demands and suggested Washington was using Ukraine as an instrument to potentially draw Moscow into a conflict.

"Ukraine is just a tool to achieve this goal"

Ukraine is a tool to achieve the goal of containing Russia. The West wants to draw us into some kind of armed conflict and to force, among other things, their allies in Europe to impose sanctions against us — Vladimir Putin, Russian President

of containing Russia, Putin said at a press conference with the Hungarian leader. "This can be done in different ways. Drawing us into some kind of armed conflict. And to force, among other things, their allies in Europe to impose the tough sanctions against us that the United States is talking about." Putin said he hoped that "in the end we will find a solution, although it will not be simple."

US Secretary of State Antony Blinken and Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov held a phone call on Tuesday, with Lavrov saying afterwards that Washington had agreed to further discussions. The US and NATO have provided written responses to Moscow's demands, which Putin said he is studying.

In the meantime Western leaders have been rushing to Ukraine to meet with President Volodymyr Zelensky.

Johnson and the Polish prime minister were in Kyiv on Tuesday ahead of Rutte, and Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan was due in Ukraine on Thursday. Erdogan will try to leverage his strategic position in NATO and rapport with Putin to help resolve the crisis, though Ankara's supplying of combat drones to Ukraine has angered Moscow.

The French and German foreign ministers are also expected in Ukraine next week, with plans for them to visit the frontline in the east. *AFP*

US to send warship, fighter jets to UAE after Yemen attacks

DUBAI

THE United States will send a warship and fighter jets to help defend the United Arab Emirates, officials said on Wednesday, after a series of missile attacks by Yemeni rebels left three dead in the wealthy Gulf state. The deployment, to "assist the UAE against the current threat", follows a phone call between Defence Secretary Lloyd Austin and Abu Dhabi Crown Prince Mohammed bin Zayed Al-Nahyan, the US embassy in the UAE said.

The UAE, part of the Saudi-led coalition fighting Yemen's Iran-backed Huthi rebels and a major financial hub, suffered its third missile attack in consecutive weeks on Monday. As part of the new arrangements, the USS Cole guided missile destroyer will partner with the UAE Navy and make a port call in Abu Dhabi, while the US will also deploy fifth-generation warplanes. Other actions include "continuing to provide early warning intelligence (and) collaborating on air defence", the embassy said.

The USS Cole, currently in port in Bahrain, was hit by an Al-Qaeda bombing in the Yemeni port of Aden in October 2000 that killed 17 sailors.

USS Cole guided missile destroyer | AFP

Austin and the crown prince "discussed the recent Huthi attacks against the UAE that caused civilian casualties and also threatened US and Emirati armed forces stationed at Al Dhafra air base," the embassy added. The rebel attacks on the UAE have added a new dimension to Yemen's seven-year war, which has killed hundreds of thousands directly or indirectly and displaced millions.

Three foreign workers were killed in a drone and missile assault targeting Abu Dhabi's oil facilities and airport on January 17, triggering a salvo of deadly air strikes in retaliation. On January 24, US forces stationed at Abu Dhabi's Al Dhafra air base fired Patriot interceptors and scrambled to bunkers as two ballistic missiles were shot down over the city.

TURKEY STRIKES KURD TARGETS IN IRAQ, SYRIA

BEIRUT

TURKEY said on Wednesday it launched deadly strikes against Kurdish targets in Iraq and Syria, where Kurd forces have been left reeling from the largest Islamic State group attack in nearly three years.

The raids on Tuesday night targeted shelters, tunnels, caves, ammunition depots, bases and training camps operated by the outlawed Kurdistan Workers' Party and the People's Protection Units which Ankara views as terrorist groups. The Syrian Observatory for Human Rights said the Syria strikes hit a Kurdish-run power station near Al-Malikiyah, where a brazen jailbreak attempt by IS jihadists last month sparked days of clashes that have left hundreds dead. "At least four people were killed in the strike near Al-Malikiyah," the Britain-based war monitor said.

Later on Wednesday, shelling on the Turkish-held city of Al-Bab in northern Syria killed eight people.

In northern Iraq, Turkish strikes on Tuesday hit PKK positions in the Makhmur and Sinjar regions.

EXPRESS READ

Pakistan's 28th Chief Justice sworn in

Islamabad: Justice Umar Ata Bandial was sworn in as the 28th Chief Justice of Pakistan at a ceremony held at the Presidential Palace here on Wednesday. Pakistan President Arif Alvi administered the oath to Justice Bandial in the presence of Prime Minister Imran Khan. Chief of the Army Staff General Qamar Javed Bajwa and senior civil and military officials also attended the swearing-in ceremony. Justice Bandial, 63, will serve in the top judicial office until September 16, 2023. He has previously served as the chief justice of Lahore High Court. PTI

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II BENGALURU
No.4, Jeevan Mangal Building 1st Floor, Residency Road, Bengaluru-25

O.A. No.1517/2019
SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993

Between
City Union Bank Ltd, Indiranagar Branch, ... Applicant
Represented by The Branch Manager.
And:
Sri K. Satyanarayana Naidu Betanabeli and another .... Defendants

To,
Defendant No 1 and 2
1. Sri.K.Satyanarayana Naidu Betanabeli, S/o. B. Sugrivu, Residing at Flat No 301, 3rd Floor, SVR Apartments, Next to Shishu Mandir Garden City College Road, Kithaganur, K.R. Puram, Bangalore - 560036.
2. Mr. Lakshmi Kumari Rawat, W/o. Sri K.Satyanarayana Naidu Betanabeli, Residing at Flat No.301, 3rd Floor, SVR Apartments, Next to Shishu Mandir Garden City College Road, Kithaganur, K.R. Puram, Bangalore - 560036.

Both are also at No 99, Anugraha, Next to Kamadhenu Devi Temple, 8th cross, Padmeshwari Nagar Layout, Kithaganur, Bangalore - 560036.

SUMMONS

Whereas the applicant has instituted original application under Section 19 of the Recovery of the Debts Due To Banks and Financial Institutions Act 1993 against you for the recovery of the sum Defendants have to pay, **Rs.20,59,251.70** and interest @ **11.50%** per annum is being the amount due together with current and future interest compounded monthly rests from the date of the application till realization and other reliefs.

The above mentioned defendant/s is/are therefore hereby directed to appear before this Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly authorized agent of his /their defense to show cause on **08-02-2022** at **10.30 a.m.** as to why reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on the **28-12-2021.**

Registrar
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II, Bangalore

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II BENGALURU
No.4, Jeevan Mangal Building 1st Floor, Residency Road, Bengaluru-25

O.A. No.834/2021
SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993

Between
City Union Bank Ltd, Banashankari Branch, ... Applicant
Represented by The Branch Manager.
And:
M/s. Nithin And Co and others .... Defendants

To Defendant No.1.2.3 and 6
1. M/s. Nithin And Co., Mr. N.P. Mahesh, S/o. Parameshwarappa, Residing at 169, 1st Floor, 28th Main, 6th Cross, H.S.R. Layout, Sector 1, Bangalore - 560102.
2. Mr. N.P. Mahesh, S/o. Parameshwarappa Residing at 169, 1st Floor, 28th Main, 6th Cross, H.S.R. Layout, Sector 1, Bangalore - 560102.
3. Mrs. R. Dakshayini, W/o. N.P. Mahesh, Residing at No.169,1st Floor, 28th Main, 6th Cross, H.S.R. Layout, Sector 1, Bangalore - 560102.
6. Sri Giri Travels Pvt. Ltd., Represented by its Director N.P. Mahesh, Residing at No.169, 1st Floor, 28th Main, 6th Cross, H.S.R. Layout, Sector-1, Bangalore - 560102.

SUMMONS

Whereas the applicant has instituted original application under Section 19 of the Recovery of the Debts Due To Banks and Financial Institutions Act 1993 against you for the recovery of the sum Defendants have to pay, **Rs.6,08,82,197/- (Rupees Six Crore Eight Lakh Eighty Two Thousand One Hundred and Ninety Seven only)** as on **30-06-2021** is being the amount due together with current and future interest @ 15% per annum compounded monthly rests from the date of the application till realization and other reliefs.

The above mentioned defendants is/are therefore hereby directed to appear before this Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly authorized agent of his their defense to show cause on **24-03-2022** at **11.00** am as to why reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on the **03-01-2022**.

Registrar
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II, Bangalore

Indian Overseas Bank
Jigani Branch, #48, 100 Feet Road, Jigani Industrial Area Phase 2, Bengaluru - 560 105. Ph: 080-2782688, Email: iob2306@iob.in

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWERS / MORTGAGORS / GUARANTORS UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

To,
Borrower:
1) **Srinivasa Kalyan Mantapa**, No. 132/1, Harpanahalli, Jigani, Jigani Anekal, Bengalore-560083.
Guarantor:
2) **Mr. Muniraju,** No. 81, Mahantha Lingapura, Jigani (Hobli), Anekal (J), Bangalore-560083.
3) **Mr. Manjunatha**, No, 45, Balore Bande Kallu, Ballu Post, Anekal, Jigani, Bangalore-560083.
4) **Mr. Naveen Kumar**, No. 81, Mahantha Lingapura, Jigani (Hobli), Anekal (J), Bangalore-560083.
5) **Lakshmamma,** No. 81, Mahantha Lingapura, Jigani (Hobli) Anekal (J), Bangalore-560083.

Dear Sir / Madam,

Re.: Your Credit Facilites with Indian Overseas Bank, Jigani Branch

1) You, the above named borrowers of our Bank have availed the following credit facilities from our Jigani Branch: The details of the credit facilities with outstanding dues are as under:

Nature of Facility	Limit Rs.	Rate of Interest % + 2.00% penal interest	Total Dues as on 31.12.2021 (in Rs.)
TL-230603261400001	200.00 Lacs	7.25% +2.00%=9.25%	1,13,46,463.31

With further interest at contractual rates/rests will become payable from the date mentioned above till date of payment.

The above named guarantors referred under Sl.No. 2, have executed **guarantee dated 06.02.2014** towards **TL-230603261400001** thereby guaranteed payment on demand of all moneys and discharge all obligations and liabilities then or at any time thereafter owing or incurred to Indian Overseas Bank by the borrowers for the aggregate credit limits **Rs. 1,13,46,463.31 (One Crore Thirteen Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Three and Thirty one paise only)** together with agreed interest, charges etc.

The credit facilities were secured by the assets mentioned below by way of mortgage of the property standing in the names of the mortgagors.

The guarantors mentioned under Sl.Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 of you have given personal guarantee for the credit facilities as given above.

You have acknowledged from time to time the liabilities under the above transactions through various documents executed by you.

2) The details of securities in favor of the Bank for the aforesaid credit facilities are:

Nature of Security	Particulars of Securities
Prime Security	EM followed by registered memorandum of immovable property situated at Khatha no 153/131/2,132/5 & 132/6 formed in converted land bearing Sy no 131/2 132/5 &132/6 situated at Harpanahalli village Jigani Hobli Anekal Taluk Bangalore containing measurement 1 Acre 01.08 guntas and bounded on the - East By: Land Belonging to Sri P Jayaram & Sri Muniyappa, West By: Road, North By: Govt Road, South By: Land belonging to Sri Narayana Swami.

3) Consequent upon defaults committed by the above named borrowers in payment of the principal debt/interest as per agreed terms, your loan account mentioned above has been classified as Non-Performing Asset on **31.05.2021** as per Reserve Bank of India guidelines and directives. Despite our reminders for regularization of our account, you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon.

4) Since you the above named borrowers have failed to meet the liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by the security mentioned above and upon classification of your account as Non-Performing Asset, we hereby recall our advances to you and give you notice under Sub-Section (2) of Section 13 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the **Bank aggregating to Rs. 1,13,46,463.31 (One Crore Thirteen Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Three and Thirty one paise only) as detailed in para 1 above, with further interest @ (rate of interest @ 7.25% + 2% penal interest) compounded with monthly rests as agreed,** from the date mentioned above, within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice.

5) The above named guarantor under Sl.no. 2-5 have given undertaking for repayment/guarantees for the credit facilities taken by the borrower under Sl No 1. Since the borrowers have committed defaults in repayment, the guarantors/ mortgagors have become liable to pay to us in terms of the guarantee/mortgage executed, the amounts due to the Bank as per the loan/credit facilities aggregating to **Rs. 1,13,46,463.31 (One Crore Thirteen Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Three and Thirty one paise only)** together with further interest @ 7.25% + 2% penal interest towards **TL 230603261400001 compounded with monthly rest as agreed & charges** and we hereby invoke guarantee against guarantors and enforce securities of mortgagors under the SARFAESI Act and call upon you to pay the said amount within sixty days from the date of receipt of this notice. Please be advised that, the guarantor's liability is co-extensive with the liability of the borrowers.

6) We further give notice to the borrowers namely V Muniraju, Manjunath, Naveen Kumar and Lakshmamma and mortgagors / guarantors who have given non-agri securities enforceable under the SARFAESI Act namely **EM followed by registered memorandum of immovable property situated at Khatha no 153/131/2,132/5 & 132/6 formed in converted land bearing Sy no 131/2 132/5 &132/6 situated at Harpanahalli village Jigani Hobli Anekal Taluk Bangalore containing measurement 1 Acre 01.08 guntas and bounded on the – East By: Land Belonging to Sri P Jayaram & Sri Muniyappa, West By: Road, North By: Govt Road, South By: Land belonging to Sri Narayana Swami** that failing payment of the above amount in full with interest and charges etc till the date of payment, we shall be exercising all or any of the rights vested on us, under sub-section (4) of section 13of the said Act.

7) Please note that in law the borrowers and guarantors are jointly and severally liable to pay the dues with further interest and charges etc.

8) Please note that interest will continue to accrue at the rates and rests as agreed for each credit facility until full repayment.

9) Your attention is also invited to Sub-Section (13) of Section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are restrained from transferring / alienating / shifting any of the secured assets referred to above by way of sale, lease or otherwise, without obtaining our prior written consent. Please also note that non-compliance/ contravention of the provisions contained in the said Act or Rules made here under, is an offence which is punishable with imprisonment and/or fine as provided under Section 29 of the Act.

10) The guarantors referred under Sl.Nos 2, 3, 4 and 5 have given personal guarantee to secure the loans of the said borrowers and as such we advise you to prevail upon the borrowers to repay the dues as per our demand since we have the right to initiate action against you simultaneously in accordance with law, for recovery of our dues based on your personal guarantee.

11) We also put all of you on notice that if the account is not regularized/repaid within the stipulated time and in case of the Bank classifying you as a willful defaulter as per RBI Guidelines, the Bank reserves its rights to publish your photographs in Newspaper(s) with your name, address, details of default, dues etc., in accordance with RBI Guidelines besides initiating all recourses available to the Bank for recovery.

12) We also advise you that this Demand Notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we have for recovery of the above said dues as well as our right to make further demands in respect of the sums due and payable by you.

13) Further, attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 19.01.2022
Place : Bangalore

Yours Faithfully,
For Indian Overseas Bank
Sd/-, Authorised Officer

Note: Advertisement matter published in English will prevail in case of any discrepancy.

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I, S Jagadeesha S/o. K Sathyanarayana aged 49 years, residing at No. 24, 8th Main Road, Shivanagar, Rajajinagar Post, Bangalore-560 010. I declare that my Son **J. Bharath Chandra's, ICSE Class X Marks Card** and **Pass Certificate with Roll No 7315521** awarded by Council for Indian School Certificate Examinations, New Delhi. The above 2 Original Certificates have been lost and unable to trace them, if anybody found please call **98459 41693.** Vide affidavit dated 31/01/2022 Sworn before Notary Kaveri B, Bangalore.

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SPEED POST WITH A/D

1. M/s Sun-Power Metalics Private Limited having address at, **Address 1:-** Office 203, Trade Centre, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra East, Mumbai City, Mumbai, 400051, Maharashtra. **Address 2:-** Office No: 810, Tandice 69, Govindnagar, Andheri Kurla Road, Near Darpan Telephone Exchange, Andheri East, Mumbai – 400093, Maharashtra.
2. Mrs. Jyoti Agarwal, aged 41 years, Wife of Mr. Vickaash Agarwal, **Address:** 2A-603, AKME Harmony Apartments, Sarjapur Outer Ring Road, Opposite Indian Oil Petrol Bunk, Bellandur, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560103.
3. M/s Priyambda Realcomm Private Limited, (Corporate Identification Number: U70101MH2011PTC214276), having address at, **Address1:-** Office 203, Trade Centre, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra East, Mumbai City, Mumbai – 400051, Maharashtra. **Address 2:-** Office No: 810, Tandice 69, Govindnagar, Andheri Kurla Road, Near Darpan Telephone Exchange, Andheri East, Mumbai – 400093, Maharashtra.
4. Mr. Vickaash Agarwal, aged 41 years, Son of Mr. Ishwar Das Agarwal, **Address:-** 501, Lee Orchid, 15th Khar Road, Khar Gymkhana, Khar West, Mumbai Suburban, Mumbai – 400052, Maharashtra.
5. M/s Inesh Hometexx LLP, having LLPIN: AAB-4140 (PAN NO: AAXFA2597B), having address at, **Address 1:-** 501, Lee Orchid, 15th Khar Road, Khar Gymkhana, Khar West, Mumbai Suburban, Mumbai – 400052, Maharashtra. **Address 2:-** Office No: 810, Tandice 69, Govindnagar, Andheri Kurla Road, Near Darpan Telephone Exchange, Andheri East, Mumbai – 400093, Maharashtra. **Address 3:-** Corporate Office: 203. Trade Center, Bandra Kurla Complex, Mumbai – 400051, Maharashtra. **Address 4:-** Rajlaxmi Commercial Complex, Building No:6, Gala No: 6, Bhiwandi, Thane - 421302, Maharashtra.

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS ACT)

The 1stof you as Principal borrower and 2nd , 3rd, 4th and 5th of you as co-obligant / co- borrower have availed of, inter alia, the following credit facilities from The Federal Bank Limited a banking company registered under the Companies Act having registered office at Alwaye (hereinafter referred to as the bank) through its branch at Mumbai - Chembur after executing necessary security agreements / loan documents in favour of the Bank.

Sr. No.	Loan Type	Limit Sanctioned in Rupees.	Disbursement/ Sanction date	Outstanding Balance in Rupees	Availed by
1	OD & Cash Credit Loan Account No: 13995500000688	10,00,00,000/-	30/09/2020	Rs.10,70,25,039.70 with further interest @11.00% from 01/01/2022, charges and cost thereon till the date of payment/realization.	1st of you as the principal borrower and 2nd , 3rd , 4th and 5th of you as co-borrower / co-obligant
2	GECL – Term Loan Loan Account No: 13996900000773	2,00,00,000/-	30/12/2020	Rs.2,11,25,200.31 with further interest @11.25% from 30/12/2021, charges and cost thereon till the date of payment/realization.	1st of you as the principal borrower and 2nd , 3rd , 4th and 5th of you as co-borrower / co-obligant

Towards the security of the aforesaid credit facilities availed from the Bank, the 1st of you have created security interest in favour of the Bank by way of hypothecation in respect of the following movable properties: -

DESCRIPTION OF HYPOTHECATED MOVABLE PROPERTIES

Sr. No.	Details of Secured Properties
1)	Hypothecation of stock Raw Materials, Semi-Finished goods and Finished goods.
2)	Hypothecation of book debts
3)	First Pari Passu charge on entire current assets of the company with South Indian Bank and Punjab National Bank (erstwhile Oriental Bank of Commerce)

Towards the security of the aforesaid credit facilities availed from the Bank, the 5th of you have created security interest in favour of the Bank by way of mortgage in respect of the following property: -

DESCRIPTION OF MORTGAGED IMMOVABLE PROPERTY/IES

Sr. No.	Details of Secured Properties
1	All that part and parcel of Commercial Property / Office No: 3A-01, admeasuring an area of 171.87 Sq. Mtrs carpet area on 3rd Floor of the building known as " KALEDONIA", constructed on, lying, being and situated at all that piece and parcel of land admeasuring about 9,938.81 Sq. Mtrs, bearing Old CTS Nos: 16, 17 & 19, New CTS Nos: 12 A/5 of Village Vile Parle, Off Western Express Highway, Andheri East, Taluka Andheri, District, Registration District & Sub-District of Mumbai Suburban, Mumbai – 400069, State Maharashtra and within the limits of 'K-East' Ward of Brihanmumbai Mahanagarpalika and bounded on the East by Sahar Road, on the South by Internal Road and CTS No: 12/A6, on the West by CTS No: 12B, on the North by CTS NO: 12/A2 and 12/A3.

The aforesaid hypothecated and / or mortgaged security properties are hereinafter referred to as 'secured assets'. You have defaulted repayment of the above-secured debt in violation of the agreed terms and the account became a Non-Performing Asset, as per the guideline and norms of RBI on 27/09/2021.

The undersigned being Authorised Officer of the Federal Bank Ltd. hereby informs you that an amount of Rs.12,81,50,240.01 (Rupees Twelve Crores Eighty One Lakhs Fifty Thousand Two Hundred Forty and Paisa One Only) together with further interest per annum with monthly rest plus costs and charges thereon as mentioned aforesaid is due from you jointly and severally, under your loan account with Mumbai - Chembur branch of the Bank.

As such, the bank as a secured creditor as envisaged under section 2(zd) of the Act hereby call upon you, as contemplated under Sec.13 (2) of the said Act, to pay the said amount with further interest thereon till the date of payment and costs/other charges **within 60 days from the date of this notice,** failing which the Bank as a secured creditor shall be constrained, without prejudice to any of its other rights and remedies, to take, without any further notice, the following recourse measures prescribed under section 13(4) of the Act against you.

1. To take possession of the secured assets described above and transfer the said assets by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising the dues.
2. To take over the management of the secured assets and transfer them by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising the dues.
3. To appoint any person to manage the secured assets the possession of which has been taken over by the bank.
4. To require at any time by notice in writing, to any person who has acquired any of the secured assets from you and from whom any money is due or may become due to you, to pay to the bank.

You are also put on notice that as per section 13(13) of the Act, you shall not after receipt of this notice transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise any of the secured assets referred to in this notice in any manner whatsoever to the prejudice of the interest of the bank without its prior written consent.

You are also put on notice that Section 13(6) of the Act empowers the bank to give a valid title to the transferee all rights in, or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer had been made by the owner of such secured asset. Please be informed that in the event of your failure to discharge your liability in full within 60 days from the date of this notice and the bank initiates remedial actions under the provisions of the Act, you shall further be liable to pay to the bank all cost, charges and expenses incurred in that connection. Your attention is also invited to the provisions of section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets (security properties). In case the dues are not fully satisfied with the sale proceeds of the secured assets, the bank shall proceed against you for the recovery of the balance amount personally. This notice is issued without prejudice to the other rights and remedies available to the bank for recovering its dues.

For The Federal Bank Ltd
Mr. Unnikrishnan V K
Associate Vice President
Loan Collection & Recovery Department - Mumbai Division
(Authorised Officer under SARFAESI Act)

Dated this the 31st Day of December 2021

Market Watch

MARKET			FOREX	
695.76	Sensex	59,558.33	Dollar	74.73
203.15	Nifty	17,780.00	Euro	84.62

Tweak in FDI rule to push LIC disinvestment

LIC Act has no provision for foreign investments; DPIIT Secretary says inter-ministerial consultation is at final stage

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

THE Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT) on Wednesday said that it will approach the cabinet to seek changes in the foreign direct investment (FDI) policy to facilitate disinvestment of Life Insurance Company (LIC).

While addressing the press, DPIIT Secretary Anurag Jain mentioned that an inter-ministerial consultation on the matter is at its last stage and he is hopeful it will happen very soon.

As per the current FDI policy, 74% foreign investment is permitted under the automatic route in the insurance sector. But these rules do not apply to Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC), which is administered through a separate LIC Act.

As per Sebi rules, both FPI and FDI are permitted under public offer.

However, since the LIC Act has no provision for foreign investments, there is a need to align the proposed LIC IPO with Sebi norms regarding foreign investor participation.

The Cabinet had in July last year approved the initial public offering (IPO) of LIC and the stake sale is being planned in the current March quarter.

"The finance minister has directed that the disinvestment has to be completed during the current financial year. So, obviously, we will try to expedite it (Cabinet note) as much as possible," said Jain.

On the logistic policy, Jain said the government is working on it and it is at a very advanced stage.

"As far as logistic policy is concerned it has come to our department just about a month or half back. This came to us with a PM Gatishakti thing because the logistic division was transferred to us. It is a matter of doing consultation," said Jain.

The IPO-bound Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) reported ₹1,437 crore net profit in the first half of 2021-22 compared to ₹6.14 crore in the same period in the previous year.

The state-owned life insurer also reported ₹1,452 crore in revenue during the period. LIC would most likely file its IPO paper with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi) in the first week of February.

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> Anurag Jain, Secretary, DPIIT

At $8.65 bn, LIC 10th most valued insurance brand

LIFE Insurance Corporation, which is bound for the nation's largest share sale by March, is the strongest and the largest brand in the country with a valuation of $8.656 billion (around ₹64,722 crore), which also makes it the third strongest insurance brand globally, according to a brand valuation report.

According to the London-based Brand Finance, a brand consultancy, the market value of LIC will become ₹43.40 lakh crore or $59.21 bn by 2022, and ₹58.9-lakh cr or $78.63 bn by 2027. LIC's brand value also climbed in overall global brand rankings by 32 places to become the world's 206th most valuable brand in 2021, from 238th in 2020.

According to this valuation, LIC is largest and strongest brand in the country with a valuation of $8.655 billion in 2021, which grew by 6.8% from $8.11 billion in 2020, when the value of top 100 insurers declined by 6% globally. The corporation ranks first in brand strength amongst the competitor set with a score of 84.1 and it ranks third in brand strength globally after Poste Italiane of Italy and Mapfre of Spain and is also the 10th most valued insurance brand globally, according to the report prepared in Nov 2021 but is yet to made public. *PTI*

BUDGET VIEW

BUDGET A BLEND OF NEW-AGE AND OLD-AGE ECONOMY

IN my view, this is a new-age budget, in the sense that a lot of impetus has been given to new-age technology. The government had actually blended the new-age economy with the old -age economy.

So far as the old-age economy is concerned the government has really given a push to infrastructure spending -- for highways and hospitals, Nal Se Jal Yojana, railways, metros, introducing new trains, setting up of new cargo terminals and river-linking projects, among others.

At the same time, the government has introduced sops for a new-age economy – like the creation of 75 digital bank units, expediting a 5G rollout and optic fiber cable network to cover all the villages, giving infrastructure status to data centres, introduction of digital rupee by RBI using blockchain, using drone technology for farming, battery swapping facility and extending tax holiday for startups up to FY23.

So, in a nutshell, this is a very balanced budget, favouring both the old-age and the new-age economies and blending the two. The stock market has given this growth oriented budget a thumbs up.

The market views the budget as a regular, once-in-a-year event, with new reforms being introduced and some continuing into the next year. It's a kind of work-in-progress.

Alongside this melding of old and new, the Budget hasn't tinkered with tax slabs or capital gains' tax. Markets liked this status quo approach.

With the Budget done and dusted, the market will look for cues from the US market. Our market will move more or less in sync with the US market, which has discounted the US Fed beginning to taper and raise interest rates.

Rising oil, a thorn in our flesh, trades around $90 a barrel. India reportedly spent $60 billion on oil imports last year and that's likely to double this year. That's a huge burden on the economy. Inflation is a cause of concern for the economy, which is also evident in the poor performance of many companies that have declared their financial results for the December quarter.

Operating profit margins have clearly come under pressure even though operating revenues have gone up, underscoring that companies have not fully passed on the rise in input costs to the end consumer for fear of demand taking a hit.

DR. VIJAY KEDIA
Managing Director, Kedia Securities Pvt. Ltd.

BigBasket expands to 18 new cities

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

ONLINE supermarket BigBasket has announced its entry in 18 new Tier 2 and Tier 3 cities. The expansion will take place both in e-commerce and in the form of Fresho stores.

"India's largest online supermarket, has expanded its pan-India coverage in the last one year, and is now delivering in 18 new Tier 2 and 3 cities of Bhubaneswar, Guwahati, Jamshedpur, Anand, Rajkot, Ambala, Tiruvallur, Chengalpattu, Raipur, Bhilai, Allahabad, Kota, Kakinada, Nashik, Kolhapur, Rajahmundry, Amravati and Tumkur," the company said in a statement.

The company claims to record over 7 million customers orders per month.

"There has been a change in consumer buying behaviour during the Covid-19 pandemic. The shift is more marked in Tier 2 and 3 cities with people choosing to order online primarily for better safety," the company statement said.

BigBasket's first store was launched in Bangalore in 2021, and the company aims to open 200 stores by end of 2023. Shashi Shekhar, National Head - Tier 2 cities, Bigbasket, said, "As the leading online supermarket, we are committed to making our services available to as many cities as possible."

Trading in crypto likely to be trickier?

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

THOUGH the Budget announcement of 30% tax on digital asset is a welcome move for the emerging crypto industry in India, some investors and crypto players say the steep tax rate might dissuade traders. They seek more clarity on the proposed tax regime on virtual assets.

In order to monitor all transactions happening in the crypto space, the government has also announced that all the crypto transactions will be taxed at 1% as TDS.

According to crypto players, this approach might prove to be slightly drastic for intra-day traders as they buy and sell on the same day and do numerous such transactions.

"The same traders will also be liable to pay 30% taxes on profit as well. This will also affect the volume of transactions happening in the crypto space within India. For the days to come, it might be a bad move from the government's side to impose such high TDS, given some investors tend to do transactions for small profits," says Sathvik Vishwanath, Co-founder and CEO of Unocoin.

For a few years now, digital asset transactions have increased significantly and there are over 20 million crypto investors in the country with crypto holdings of over ₹40,000 crore. Vishwanath points out that if a person's income is ₹4.5 lakh P.A, and the profits (s)he made out of crypto is ₹60,000, the total taxable income would be ₹5.1 lakh and the tax liability would be as per income tax slabs.

There are multiple factors and very minute details accounting for these calculations that need to be considered, and it might be more difficult to file the taxes, especially for intra-day traders, he adds.

If intra-day traders are profitable generally, we do not believe that a 30% tax will make them reconsider trading, says Vikram Subburaj, CEO, Giottus Crypto Exchange.

> **The only thing that may affect this is the 1% TDS... This hypothesis holds as long as the acquisition costs include the gas fees for crypto transactions** — Atharva Sabnis, Member-Blockchain and Crypto Assets Council

'PLI in 5G devices will boost digital India'

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

INDUSTRY leaders hailed the government's announcement of the PLI scheme for 5G equipment, laying optical fiber cables through PPP model and affordable broadband in the Budget 2022-23. They said the move will help the country to fulfill its dream of 'digital India'.

"The proposal for taking progressive decisions in encouraging affordable broadband and mobile services through facilitating PLI scheme for 5G equipment, laying optical fiber cables through PPP model under BharatNet project are welcome steps," said SP Kochhar, DG COAI (Cellular Operators Association of India).

The finance minister, in her Budget speech, announced a scheme for design-led manufacturing to build a strong ecosystem for 5G as part of the Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme. She also mentioned that the required 5G spectrum auctions will be conducted in 2022.

This year, the government has allocated ₹84,586 crore to the entire telecommunication department. It spared almost half of the allocation, ₹44,720 crore for the state-run Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL, as a capital infusion. For the 5G connectivity test bed, the government has spared ₹10 crore. For PLI Scheme to promote telecom and networking products manufacturing in India, ₹527.68 crore has been earmarked.

"The finance minister's announcement around the 5G spectrum auction, 100% fiberisation with PPP model will provide the required impetus to build upon ubiquitous and reliable internet connectivity," said Nitin Bansal, MD, India & Head-Networks - Southeast Asia, Oceania, and India at Ericsson.

Two-wheeler sales drop over 20% in Jan; electric 2-wheelers see big jump

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

BAD days continue for two-wheeler industry as most manufactures reported sharp dip in January sales.

January 2022 saw the two-wheeler industry posted a 21% decline on a YoY (Year-on-Year) basis (as per data released by 6 major original equipment manufacturers). This slump comes after two-wheelers sales in the December quarter was lowest in 9 years (as per Siam data).

While sales of conventional two-wheelers, the ones fitted with an internal combustion engine, registered steep fall, demand for electric two-wheelers saw a big jump last month. According to industry players, increased participation by new-age and legacy companies, increased petrol prices and government's thrust is making EVs popular among buyers.

"The domestic electric 2W sales continued to have a dream-run in 10 months of FY2022, posting a 5x YoY growth at 1.49 lakh unit sales. In Jan 2022, high-speed e2Ws saw an 11% MoM growth with 27,563 unit sales (highest monthly sales this year). The proposed formulation of a battery swapping policy and interoperability standards, announced in the budget 2022-23, could be game-changers for faster EV adoption in the medium term," said Rohan Kanwar Gupta, Vice President & Sector Head - Corporate Ratings, ICRA.

India's largest two-wheeler manufacturer Hero MotoCorp sold 3,80,476 units of motorcycles and scooters in January 2022, a fall of 22% as compared with 4,85,889 units sold in January 2021. Its domestic sales declined by 23% YoY to 3,58,660 units, but exports grew by 20% YoY to 21,816 in January 2022.

Japanese two-wheeler maker Honda (HMSI) sold a total of 3,54,209 units in January. HMSI's domestic sales stood at 3,15,196 units, a fall of 19% YoY. The company's export, however, almost doubled to 39,013 units last month. Yadvinder Singh Guleria, Director, Sales & Marketing at HMSI, said, "While the calendar year 2022 has started on a positive note compared to last month, the sales sentiment in Q4'22 continues to reflect the preceding challenges of last fiscal year."

Bajaj Auto, TVS Motor and Royal Enfield also reported dip in January 2022 sales. Bajaj Auto's domestic sales dipped 14% YoY to 1,35,496 units while exports were down 17% YoY.

High-speed electrice 2w sales highest

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TODAY'S STOCK PICK

Current Price ₹737.25
Target Price ₹880
TCI

A strong growth was seen across key segments like Freight Services (+16%), Seaways (+44%), and Supply Chain (+12%). We expect rising contribution from the high margin Seaways segment and improving share in the less than truckload (LTL) business in the Freight division to support margin performance (~12% margin in FY24E). We expect TCI to clock a revenue/EBITDA/PAT CAGR of ~18%/28%/36% over FY21-24E. We maintain Buy.

— Motilal Oswal Securities Limited

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IOC's revenue up at ₹5.22 L cr in Apr-Dec '21

INDIAN Oil reported revenue from operations of ₹5,21,999 crore for the period April – December 2021 as compared to ₹3,51,157 crore in corresponding period of FY21.

The net profit for the nine months ended 31st December 2021 is higher at ₹18,162 crore as compared to ₹13,055 crore during the corresponding period mainly on account of higher refining margins and higher inventory gain during current period. The revenue from operations of Indian Oil is ₹1,97,172 crore in Q3 2021-22 as compared to ₹1,46,465 crore in the corresponding quarter of FY 2020-21.

The net profit for the third quarter of FY22 is ₹5,861 crore as compared to ₹4,917 crore in the corresponding quarter of FY 2020-21 which is due to higher refining margin during current quarter.

The Board of Directors of the Corporation in its meeting held on 31st January, 2022 has declared second interim dividend of ₹4 per equity share. (face value: ₹10/).

"Indian Oil sold 63.097 MT of products, including exports, during April– December 2021. Our refining throughput for first nine months of FY 2021-22 was 49.400 MT, said IOC Chairman SM Vaidya. *ENS*

QUARTERLY RESULTS

Indian Overseas Bank net up on lower provisions

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INDIAN Overseas Bank on Wednesday reported over 2x growth in its net profit for the December quarter (Q3) of FY22 on account of lower provisions and higher cash recovery. The state-owned bank's profit jumped from ₹213 cr in Q3FY21 to ₹454 cr in Q3FY22.

"The profit in the quarter was driven by lower provisioning requirements, improvement in cash recovery and also as we were able to contain our operational cost," said the bank's Managing Director and CEO Partha Pratim Sengupta.

The bank aims the net profit to touch around ₹1,600 crore in the current financial year. In FY21, the bank had reported a net profit of ₹832 crore.

Interest income of the bank marginally declined to ₹4,198 crore during the December quarter, compared with ₹4,244 crore last year. Sengupta said lower treasury income due to the hardening of yields impacted the interest income.

The lender's gross non-performing assets (GNPAs) reduced to 10.45%, against 12.19% a year ago. Sengupta said that they aiming to bring down gross NPA to single digit by March 31. Net NPA came down to 2.63% from 3.13%.

Sengupta informed that slippages in the quarter stood at ₹1,254 crore. Of this, ₹650 crore was on account of divergences in NPA classification pointed out by the RBI. The divergences were mainly in education and agriculture loans of the lender, he said. Provisions came down to ₹1,073 crore from ₹1,518 crore in the year-ago period.

HDFC net up 11% on higher core income

Mortgage lender HDFC posted an 11% y-o-y growth in profit at `3,261 crore in the December quarter even as asset quality deteriorated sequentially with gross non-performing assets rising by 32 basis points to 2.32%. The growth in profit was attributable to a 7% jump in net interest income to `4,284 crore. Credit costs for Q3 stood at a stable 0.27%. The mortgage lender's capital adequacy ratio stood at 22.4% as at December 31, 2021 of which tier I capital was 21.7% and tier II capital was 0.7%, well above the regulatory stipulation. AUMs stood at `6.19 lakh crore as at December end, against `5.52 lakh crore in the previous year. Average loan size for the quarter was `33 lakh. "The demand for home loans and pipeline of loan applications continues to remain strong," the company said in a press release.

Jubilant Foodworks net profit up 9.8%

Food service company Jubilant Foodworks Ltd., which runs the Domino's Pizza and Dunkin' Donuts restaurants in India, on Wednesday reported a 9.8% year-on-year jump in its December quarter profit to `137.3 crore. The company's revenue from operations grew 12.9% to `1,193.5 crore on improved recovery in dine-in channel, which was well supported by a continued strong momentum in delivery channel. Earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) rose 13.9% to `317.4 crore. EBITDA margin expanded by 24 basis points to 26.6% despite significant headwinds, the company said in a statement. The firm opened a record 75 new Domino's stores in the quarter under review, the highest ever number of new store openings by any franchisee in any quarter in any market.

Dabur net profit up 2.3% amid inflation

CONSUMER goods maker Dabur on Wednesday reported a marginal rise of 2.3% in consolidated net profit for the third quarter to ₹504 crore, as against ₹493 crore in the corresponding quarter a year ago.

The overall operating environment remained challenging throughout the quarter with unprecedented inflation of 13% and subdued consumer sentiments, Dabur India Ltd Chief Executive Officer Mohit Malhotra said. The FMCG major posted a consolidated revenue growth of 8% at ₹2,942 crore in the third quarter of FY22, up from ₹2,729 crore in the same quarter a year ago.

"We have mitigated the impact of inflation partially through calibrated price increases and cost-saving initiatives. Despite these macro-economic headwinds, we remained focused on rolling our consumer-centric innovation that expanded our total addressable market, besides gaining market share across 100% of our product portfolio, which is unprecedented," Malhotra said. *ENS*

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CHANGE OF NAME

I, RANJANA MOURYA spouse of Ravi Mourya R/at D Block No.D9/10, Phase-1, DRDO Township, C.V. Raman Nagar, Bengaluru-560093 have changed my name from **RANJANA to RANJANA MOURYA** vide affidavit dated 01/02/2022 sworn before Notary Public A.R.Muneer Ahmed, Bengaluru.

I, Vivek B N, Aged about 34 years, Son of Mr. S K Nagaraj, Residing at No 3, 3rd Cross, Near Rama Temple, New Byappanahalli, Indiranagar, Bengaluru -560 038. Father of Kumari Priyanshi V have changed my daughter's name as **Prerana V** Vide affidavit dated 06.02.2021 sworn before notary A R Muneer Ahmed

I **Vedna Chauhan D/o Abhilakh Singh Sengar, W/o Amarjit Singh Chauhan** Residing at SMQ-61/1, Akash Vihar, Air Force Camp, Marathahalli, Bangalore-560037, I here by declered that Vedna Chauhan and KM Vedna Sengar both are my names only. In future I will continue as **KM VEDNA SENGAR** Vide affidavit dated on : 17/01/2022. Sworn before notary : A.R.Muneer Ahmed

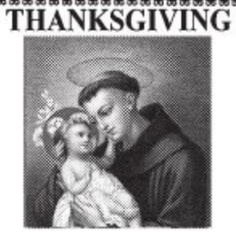
I, NASHRA AHMED, (Aadhar No. 8050 1947 1005) (Date of Birth 25/08/1996) D/o. Aslam Ahamed and resident of # 51, 19th Main, 5th Cross, MEI Layout, Bagalagunte, Nagasandra post, Bangalore- 560073 have changed my name to NASHRA ALMA Vide affidavit dated 01-02-2022 sworn before Advocate & Notary Kodi Nagappaya, Bengaluru

I, **MERCY SAJI GEORGE** R/at No.70, Casilda, Unnathi Enclave, Taponagar Main Road, Near Alpha/Vijaya Vittala Eng College, Chikkagubbi Kothanur Post, Bangalore-560077, have changed my name to **MERCY SAJI** vide affidavit dated:2/2/2022 before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

I, **PUSHPA YOHANNAN,** W/o. Yohannan M.V., aged about 66 years, R/at. No. 173, 1st Main Road, Near Sambhram College, Sai Nagar 2nd Phase, Chikkabettahalli, Vidyaranyapura (Post), Bangalore - 560 097, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MANGAN PUSHPABAHEN YOHANNAN** to **PUSHPA YOHANNAN,** hereafter I shall be known and called as **PUSHPA YOHANNAN** only, vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022, sworn to before Smt. A. Manjula, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

I, **Smt. VIDHYA NANDA KUMAR,** spouse of No.680222-B, Ex-SGT, Nanda Kumar Malamal, Resident of No. 1474, 1st Floor, 17th A Main, J.P.Nagar 2nd Phase, Bangalore-560078, have changed my name from **VIDHYA NANDA KUMAR** to **VIDHYA S,** vide affidavit dated: 01-02-2022, before Advocate, Aravind Patil.G.G., at Bangalore.

THANKSGIVING



Thank you Dear St. Anthony for all favors, grace's and blessings received on me and my family, continue to guide, guard and protect us always.
RAINA JOSEPH

CHANGE OF NAME

I, No 14487543K Ex Naik Basavaraj Yakkundi, Residing at No.351, BEML Nagar, KGF, Distt-Kolar, Karnataka, In my Army Service Record Change the Following My Wife name Survarna changed to **SUVARNA.B. YAKKUNDI** and My Wife Date of birth 26/01/1969 Changed to 26.01.1973 and My Marriage date 25/05/1989 changed to 25.05.1993, vide affidavit dated 28/01/2022 sworn before Notary V.B.Prasad, Bangarpet.

I, **REVATHI .R,** aged about 20 years, D/o Rajendra Prasad, R/o Flat No. 110, SLV Soumyashree Residency, Soumyshree Layout, Sharadambanagar, Jalahalli, Bengaluru-560013, Karnataka, today at Bengaluru, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **REVATHI** to **REVATHI .R,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **REVATHI .R** only, vide affidavit dated 28-01-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L.B. ANASUYAMMA** at Bangalore.

NAME DECLARATION

I, PAKEERI, W/o. late. Subbarayudu, aged about 70 years, R/at No.28, Jakkarayanakere, New Corporation Quarters, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore - 20. Do hereby declare that my both names **"PAKEERI" and "KONDAMMA"** belong to me only. vide affidavit dated **28.01.2022** Vide affidavit sworn before **NIJAGUNARADHYA .T. C.** Advocate & Notary at Bangalore.

I,**Vijay Madyalkar** S/o Jagannathrao, Aged about 68 years Residing at GF-5, Ajantha Meadows apartments, 3rd Cross Purandaradas street, Yelenahalli Main Road, Akshaynagar (west), Begur ward, Bangalore (South), Karnataka-560068. Have Changed my Name from **Vijaya** to **Vijay Madyalkar** vide affidavit Dated: 01/02/2022 before Notary Aruna.V. Advocate, Bangalore

I, **NIRMALA SUBRAMANIYAN** R/at Flat J-101 Purva Palm Beach Apartment (Elus Road) Kyalasanahalli, Kothanur Bangalore - 560077, have changed my name to **NIRMALA LINGAREDDY** vide affidavit dated: 2/2/2022 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

I, **YOHANNAN M V,** aged about 62 years, R/at. No. 173, 1st Main Road, Near Sambhram College, Sai Nagar 2nd Phase, Chikkabettahalli, Vidyaranyapura (Post) Bangalore - 560 097, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **YOHANNAN MAUDHANA MANGAN VAREED** to **YOHANNAN M V,** hereafter I shall be known and called as **YOHANNAN M V** only, vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022, sworn to before Smt. A. Manjula, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

I, **ROHIT BOTHRA SHEKAR BOTHRA resident of No.643, Ranka Park Apartments, 4-5-6 Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru-560027 have changed my name to ROHIT SHEKHAR BOTHRA** vide Affidavit dated 31.01.2022, sworn to before Notary S. Ramesh, Bangalore

THANKSGIVING

Thank you Dear St. JOSEPH for favors, grace's and blessings received on me and my family, Continue to guide,guard and protect us always.
RAINA JOSEPH

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NITIN N RAYKAR,** Residing at, Flat No.A-101, Sampigehalli Road, NR Wind Gates, Chokkanahalli, Bengaluru-560064, have changed my name from **NITIN RAYKAR** (Old Name) to **NITIN N RAYKAR** (New Name), vide affidavit dated:31-01-2022, sworn before, Advocate & Notary, K.C. Pemmaiah, Bangalore.

I, **VINCENT L J,** aged about 42 years, S/o Veeraswamy, R/at No. 57, Shalom Nest, Flat No. 05, 2nd Floor, Peace Layout, Oil Mill Road, St. Thomas Town Post, Bangalore-560084, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **JACOB VINCENT LOUIS** to **VINCENT L J,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **VINCENT L J** only, vide affidavit dated 26-01-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **UDAY KUMAR .K** at Bangalore.

I, MERVIN GLADSTON, S/o.BINDU GLADSTON, aged about 29 years R/at. No.16, Rajam Nilayam, 4th Cross, 7th Main Road, Subbanapalya, Banaswadi, Bengaluru-560033. Hereby declare that, I have changed my name from **'MERVIN GLADSTON'** to **"ARVIND"** vide Affidavit dated 01.02.2022, Sworn before Advocate and Notary Anitha Bai, Bengaluru.

I, KASHVI THAKKAR, D/o Reena Thakkar, age 22 years, r/at No. 304, Green Fields Apartment, Bellandur, Bengaluru South-560 103 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **AFREEN** alias **KASHVI THAKKAR** to **KASHVI THAKKAR,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **KASHVI THAKKAR** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 19-01-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **R.S. VIJAY** at Bangalore.

I, **SMT. SUJATHA.B** W/o Sairam.B, Aged about 38 years, residing at, M. Madivala, Marsur Post, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District have changed my name to **SMT. SUJATHA BURRU** vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022 sworn before notary **T.Muniswamy, Anekal.**

I, BEJJLA REMYA Spouse of NO 1612958M HAV B. Nayab Rasool Residing at House NO 6-82, Mohiddin Puram (vill), Ardhaveed (Md), Prakasam (Dist), Andhra Pradesh (state), Pin:523336, have changed My name from **BEJJLA REMYA** to **BEJJLA RAMYA** vide Affidavit Dated 29.01.2022 sworn Before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

I, JAGANATHAN VIJAYA MURTHY resident of No.214, 3rd D Cross, 3rd Stage, 2nd Block, Judges Colony, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-79 have changed my name to JAGANATHAN NARAYANAMURTHY VIJAYA vide Affidavit dated 31.01.2022, sworn to before Notary S. Ramesh, Bangalore

THANKSGIVING

Thank you INFANT JESUS for all the graces, favors and blessings received, on me and my family. Continue to guide, guard and protect us always.
RAINA JOSEPH

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RAMESHWAR REDDY .R.K,** S/o. R. Venkat Reddy, residing at No. 2755, 3rd Main, 4th Cross, MCC B Block, Davanagere - 577004, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RAMESWAR REDDY .R.K** to **RAMESHWAR REDDY .R.K** vide affidavit dated 31.01.2022 sworn to before D.G. Shanthappa, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

I, **PRERNA VISHAL RAHEJA,** aged about 38 years, W/o Vishal Vasudev Raheja, R/at #22, Nalanda Block, Palace Garden Apartment, Palace Cross Road, Seshadripuram Post, Bengaluru-560020, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHILPA VISHAL RAHEJA** to **PRERNA VISHAL RAHEJA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **PRERNA VISHAL RAHEJA** only, vide affidavit dated 31-01-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S. RAMESH** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, Sri. Appu, S/o Late Chinnappa, aged about 43 years, Residing at No.7, 1st Cross, Pottery Town, Gandhigrama, Benson Town Post, Bangalore-560 046. I state that, my daughter **Kumari Ammu. A** aged 16 years and my son **Master Ajay. A,** aged 14 years both are studying in Seventhday Adventist High School, Frazer Town, Bangalore. I state that, in the School records by oversight both of my children's Religion name mentioned as 'CHRISTIANS' instead of "HINDU". Hereby declare that, my Religion is HINDU & my family belonging to Hindu community only. Vide Affidavit dated 28.01.2022, Sworn before Advocate & Notary R.S.Vijay, Bengaluru.

I, **NANDINI ARUN RAMPRASAD** (New Name) Wife of ARUN RAMPRASAD, Residing at NO.624, 7TH MAIN ROAD, D-GROUP LAYOUT, SRIGANDHADAKAVALU, VISHWANEEDAM POST, BENGALURU-560091, that I have changed my name from **NANDINI MUDEGOWDAR BHEEMAN GOWDA** (Old Name) to **NANDINI ARUN RAMPRASAD** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **NANDINI ARUN RAMPRASAD** (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated: 03/12/2021 before Notary **H.S. SAKALESH ARADHYA** at BENGALURU.

I, **PAVAN CHANDRA .B** S/o Sri Sairam .B residing at No. 24/2, M.Madivala, Marsur Post, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District have changed my name to **PAVAN CHANDRA BURRU** Vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022 sworn before notary T. Muniswamy, Advocate and notary public, Anekal.

I, SERVICE NO JC – 313952X NB/ SUB Chandra Mouli Raju Guni of Unit : 1078 FD WKSP (16 BRTF), C/O 56 APO, Pin:931078, have changed My Daughter name from **DIVYA SREE GUNI** to **SAI DIVYA SREE GUNI** and from **LALASHA GUNI** to **LALASA GUNI** vide Affidavit Dated 01.02.2022 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

I, **SURESH P,** Aged about 28 years Son of Jayaprakash, Resident of No. 297, 1st Floor Seethamma Road, 1st Cross, R S Palya, Near S S Bakery, BANGALORE - 560033 have changed my name to **J. SURESH** Vide affidavit dated 10-12-2021 sworn before notary Uday Kumar K, Bengaluru

THANKSGIVING

Thank you MOTHER MARY OF PERPETUAL HELP for all favors, graces, blessings received on me and my family. Continue to guide, guard, and protect us always.
RAINA JOSEPH

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) ELIZABETH THOMAS, D/o. Raju Thomas, residing at No. 208, 5th Cross, Vijayalakshmi Layout, Kanakagiri Main Road, Horamavu, Bengaluru-560113, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ELIZABETH THOMAS** to **(NEW NAME) ELIZABETH K THOMAS** vide affidavit Dated 31/01/2022 sworn before Notary Uday Kumar.K, Bangalore.

I, **NATARAJAN MANNUR CHANDRA SEKHARAN,** aged about 58 years, S/o Mr. M.J. Chandrasekharan, R/at #75, Infantry Road, Shivajinagar, Bengaluru-560001, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **NATARAJAN MUTHU CHANDRASEKHARAN** to **NATARAJAN MANNUR CHANDRASEKHARAN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **NATARAJAN MANNUR CHANDRASEKHARAN** only, vide affidavit dated 01-02-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **C.V. EARAPPA** at Bangalore.

I, MR MANISH PRASAD CHOURASIA, resident at Flat Number 403, 5th Floor, Maa Bhubaneshwari Residency, Hunasamaranahalli, Bengaluru-562157, Have changed my name from **'MR MANISH PRASAD CHOURASIA' to "MANISH CHOURASIA",** Vide Affidavit dated 01.02.2022, Sworn before Advocate and Notary K.V.Jagannath Reddy, Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **PUSHPA,** aged about 54 years, W/o Late Sodi Gowda, R/a No. 13/13, 24th "A" Cross Road, 6th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560070, do hereby declare that both the names i.e., **PUSHPA** and **CHIKKAMMA** are one and the same and belongs to me only, vide affidavit dated 01-02-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **D.K. RAMESHAPPA** at Bangalore.

I, **SRI SAIRAM .B** S/o Nagamuralidhar.B, Aged about 42 years, residing at, No. 24/2, M. Madivala, Marsur Post, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District have changed my name to **SAIRAM BURRU** Vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022 sworn before notary T. Muniswamy, Anekal.

I, MURUGESHWARI P, Wife of Army No:8035033F, HAV, K PANDI, R/at SAVARANAPURAM, KATTALANJULAM, KOVIL PATTI, NALATTIU, THOOTHUKUDI-628721, TAMIL NADU, That I have changed my name from **MURUGESWARI** to **MURUGESHWARI P** and my Date of Birth is 20.07.1984, vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022, before notary K V MANI, Bengaluru.

I, **YASMIN,** D/o. Mohammed Basha, aged about 25 years, residing at No.503, Building No.2021, CP Square, Raghavendra Nagar, 7th Main, Bangalore - 560016, have changed my name to **YASMIN ZARA SHEIKH** Vide affidavit dated 02-02-2022 sworn before notary SIVAKUMAR .M.N., Bengaluru

THANKSGIVING

Thank you for blessings and favours granted. Seek your blessings always.
PUNIT, SHOBHA, NARESH.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) KENNETH GODFREY RAJAN, S/o. Rajan Joseph Godfrey, residing at No. 58, D Cross, Anjanadri Enclave, Horamavu, Agara, Bengaluru-560043, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) KENNETH GODFREY RAJAN** to **(NEW NAME) KENNETH GODFREY** vide affidavit Dated 28/01/2022 sworn before Notary Uday Kumar.K, Bangalore.

I, **ARPANA KUMARI** spouse of Amit Kumar Singh resident of 151/1, 6th Camp Air Force Station Jalahalli East, Bangalore – 560014, have changed my name from **ARPANA KUMARI** to **ARPNA KUMARI,** vide Affidavit Dated 31-01-2022 Before Advocate and Notary **S PRAKASH,** Reg No. 7865/09 Bangalore Karnataka.

I, RAJ CHOURASIA, Spouse of Manish Chourasia, resident at Flat Number 403, 5th Floor, Maa Bhubaneshwari Residency, Hunasamaranahalli, Bengaluru-562157, Have changed my name from **'RAJ CHOURASIA' to "RAJLAXMI CHOURASIA",** Vide Affidavit dated 27.01.2022, Sworn before Advocate and Notary K.V.Jagannath Reddy, Bengaluru.

I, **NADAPAIAH B,** S/o Laksmamma, aged about 24 years, R/a No. 25/1, Seethappa Layout, Chamundinagar, Bangalore North, R.T. Nagar Post, Bangalore-560032, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **NADAPAIAH B** to **BALU NADAPAIAH** vide affidavit dated 02-02-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **LEELA** at Bangalore.

I, **NIVEDITA PRABHUKUMAR,** D/o. Prabhukumar Raju, age about 36 years, Residing at Flat No. 305, 3rd Floor, LAA CAPITAL, 4th Main Road, Manjunathanagara, Ramamurthy Nagara Post, Bangalore-560 015, hereby declare that my original name by birth is **NIVEDITA PRABHUKUMAR.** After my marriage with Mr. JITHIN, I got my original name changed as **NIVEDITA JITHIN.** Now I have changed / retain my original name **NIVEDITA PRABHUKUMAR** instead of **NIVEDITA JITHIN** and hereinafter I shall be known and called as **NIVEDITA PRABHUKUMAR.** Vide affidavit dated 30.12.2021 sworn to before Prakasha C., Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

I, Army No:8035033F, HAV, K PANDI, R/at SAVARANAPURAM, KATTALANJULAM, KOVIL PATTI, NALATTIU, THOOTHUKUDI-628721, TAMIL NADU, That I have changed my son's name from **P MADHU SELVA** to **MADHU SELVA P** and his Date of Birth is 14-06-2006, vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022, before notary K V MANI, Bengaluru.

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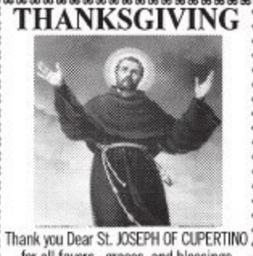

Thank you Dear St. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO for all favors, graces and blessings received on me on my most difficult, exams .Please continue to guard, protect and guide us always in all exams.
RAINA JOSEPH

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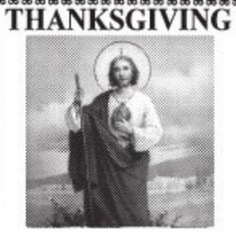

Thank you Dear St. Jude for all favors graces and blessings received on me and my family. Please continue to guard, guide , guard and protect us always.
RAINA JOSEPH

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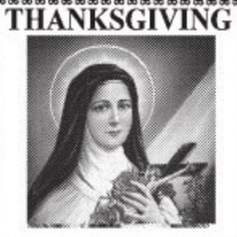

Thank you Dear THERESE OF CHILD JESUS for all the favors, graces and blessings received on me and my family. Continue to guide, guard and protect us always.
RAINA JOSEPH

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) SONIA R BETALA, residing at No. 5, Maheshwaramma Temple Street, J C Nagar, Bangalore-560006, I have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) SONIA R BETALA** to **(NEW NAME) SONIA JANGDA** vide affidavit Dated 31/01/2022 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan, Bangalore.

I, **SAM CRASTA,** aged about 32 years, S/o Udhaya Kumar, R/a No. 26/1, F Street, Jayaraj Nagar, Bangalore-560008, have changed my name to **SUBASH NIRANJAN .U** as per Govt. of Karnataka given the endorsement of change of name in Ref. No. DPS/GCP/Unit-2/Gazette/319/2021-22 dated: 05-01-2022, as per G.O. in Ref (1), Press Manual Article No. 314(2) and Printing Manual Article No. 91, Vide affidavit dated 18-01-2022 before Notary **L. GOPALAKRISHNA,** Bangalore.

I Zehra Bhanpurawala w/o Mohammed Husain Bohra Residing at No. G-2, Emerald Homes, Bohra Layout, Gottigere, Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru-560083. I have changed my name from Zehara Bai to **ZEHRA BHANPURAWALA** Vide affidavit dated on : 20.09.2021. Sworn before notary : D.S.Chandrakanth.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **H S RAMYA,** W/o Nagaraj R, R/a No. #900, Manjunatha Nilaya, 2nd Cross, Durgamba Road, Amarjyothi Layout, near Church, Thanisandra, Dr. Shivarama Karanth Nagar, Bangalore, Karnataka-560077, do hereby declare that both the names i.e., **RAMYA NAGARAJ** and **H S RAMYA** are one and the same and belongs to me only, henceforth I shall be known and called as **H S RAMYA** only, vide affidavit dated 01-02-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **C. SHARADA** at Bangalore.

I, **Tejashwini Waded,** Aged about 27 years, W/o. Shivanand Waded, R/at GBJ-273, 8th Cross, 2nd Main, Near Ganesh Temple, HAL New Township, VTC Marathahalli, PO: Marathahalli Colony, Bangalore North District, Bangalore, PIN Code 560037, hereby declare that after my marriage with one Sri. Shivanand Waded, I have changed my name from **Mali Tejashwini Nagesh** to **Tejashwini Waded.** Hereinafter I shall be known and called as **Tejashwini Waded** vide affidavit dated 2.2.2022 sworn to before Prakasha C., Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

I, Army No:8035033F, HAV, K PANDI, R/at SAVARANAPURAM, KATTALANJULAM, KOVIL PATTI, NALATTIU, THOOTHUKUDI-628721, TAMIL NADU, That I have changed my Son's name from **P VIGNESWARAN** to **VIGNESHWARAN P** and his Date of Birth is 13-04-2004, vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022, before notary K V MANI, Bengaluru.

THANKSGIVING

Thanks for all the favours & Blessings received, Bless our Family always. **RICHARD FLORENCE AND FAMILY**

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) NARMILA P, W/o. Ravindran K C, Residing at No. 59/11, Krishna Krupa, 1st A Cross, Akshayanagar, 2nd Block, Dooravaninagar, Ramamurthy Nagar (PO), Bengaluru-560016, have changed name from **(OLD NAME) NARMILA P** to **(NEW NAME) NIRMALA P** vide affidavit Dated 26/11/2021 Before Advocate Uday Kumar K, Bangalore.

I, **S. SIMPSON,** aged about 46 years, S/o Late J Selvarathnam, R/a #251, U Block, Tunga Sankima KSRP Qtrs., Koramangala, Bangalore South, Bangalore, Karnataka-560034, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **S. SIMSON** to **S. SIMPSON,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **S. SIMPSON** only, vide affidavit dated 01-02-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **K. VENKATESHAN** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, Ms. MARGARET JOHNSON, aged about 35 years, D/o Johnson Joseph, R/at Plot No. 45 & 46, 7th Cross, Ayappa Temple Road, Byrathi Kothanur Post, Bangalore-560077, declare that my name is MARGARET JOHNSON But in SSLC Marks Card, BBM (Bangalore University) Marks Card & Passport, was wrongly mentioned as MARGARATE K. instead of MARGARET JOHNSON, and my father name in my SSLC Marks Card is wrongly mentioned as ALLAN FASZER instead of Johnson Joseph and I have declared this as per vide affidavit dated 01-02-2022 sworn before notary Uday Kumar .K, Bangalore

We, **MADAN RAO,** aged about 61 years, S/o Late Prof. U. R. Rao, and **THIRUMALAI JAYASHREE,** aged about 51 years, D/o Late Mr. K. Thirumalai, Residing At 001, MILTON HOUSE, 5/7, MILTON STREET, COOKE TOWN, BANGALORE-560005 declare that we have changed the name of our Minor Son from **MIHIRAN RAO** (Old Name) to **MIHIRAN MAGA** (New Name), henceforth my Son shall be known and called as **MIHIRAN MAGA** (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 02/02/2022 before Notary **L.GOPALAKRISHNA** at BENGALURU.

I, **RAKSHITHA M S,** D/o Sairam K M, Residing at No. 131, 1st Block, Kempamma Temple, Chinnamari Layout, Hebbal, Bangalore North, Bangalore - 560 024, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RAKSHITHA M S** to **SANA PASHA** vide affidavit dated 29.01.2022 sworn to before A. Idinabba, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

I, ARMY NO:8035033F, HAV, K PANDI, R/at SAVARANAPURAM, KATTALANJULAM, KOVIL PATTI, NALATTIU, THOOTHUKUDI-628721, TAMIL NADU, That I have changed my Son's name from **P AKIL VISANTH** to **AKIL VISANTH P** and his Date of Birth is 24.01.2011, vide affidavit dated 02.02.2022, before notary K V MANI, Bengaluru.

THANKSGIVING

Thanks for all the favours & Blessings received, Bless our Family always. **RICHARD FLORENCE AND FAMILY**

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) IRFAN BASHIR, residing at No. 17/9, Ali Asker Road Cross, Cunningham Road Cross, Bangalore-560052, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) IRFAN BASHIR** to **(NEW NAME) IRFAN BASHEER** vide affidavit Dated 31/01/2022 sworn before Notary N.Nagappa, Bangalore.

I, **ABDUL KHADER C.M.A,** S/o Mohammed Khasim C.M.A, R/a No. 24, 13th Cross, 1st Stage, 3rd Block, HBR Layout, Bangalore-560043, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ABDUL KHADER** to **ABDUL KHADER C.M.A,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ABDUL KHADER C.M.A** only, vide affidavit dated 02-02-2022, sworn before Advocate and Notary **R. BASAVARAJA** at Bangalore.

I, RAGAVENDRA.R., aged about 38 years, son of RAMANAPPA, Residing at No.68, 5th CROSS, SARASWATHI NAGAR, MAHADEVAPURA, BENGALURU-560048, have changed my son's name from **R. BHAVANITH GOWDA** to **R. SHREYANK GOWDA** vide Affidavit dated 01.02.2022, sworn to before Advocate and Notary N. Narayana Swamy, Bangalore

I, **DIMPLE RATHI ETHIRAJ** R/at No.62/1 5th Cross, Shivaramaiah Layout, Hennur 10th Bus Stop, Kacharakanahalli, Bangalore-560043, have changed my name to **DIMPLE RATHI BHASKAR** vide affidavit dated: 2/2/2022 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

I, **PUSHPAVATHI D.J.** W/o. Sudhakara M., aged about 29 years, Residing at Flat No. 5133, 5th Block, 13th Floor, Sobha Ruby Apartments, Tumkur Road, Nagasandra, Doddabidarakallu, Bangalore - 560 073, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **PUSHPAVATHI D.J.** to **PRANITHA S.** vide affidavit dated 01.02.2022 sworn to before P.C. Ramaiah, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

I, **GURU PRASAD GANAPATI DEVADIGA,** S/o.Late. Ganapati Devadig, Residing at No. 107, 2nd Floor, 70th Cross Road, Rajajinagar 5th Block, Bengaluru -560010 , have Changed my Previous Name **GURU PRASAD GANAPATI DEVADIGA,** to New Name **GURUPRASAD DEVADIG,** vide affidavit dated 01-02-2022, before the Notary, Sivakumara M.N, Bangalore for all official and legal purposes.

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Olympic champion Neeraj nominated for Laureus award

India's Olympic gold medal-winning javelin thrower Neeraj Chopra was on Wednesday nominated for the prestigious Laureus 'World Breakthrough of the Year' award, making him the first Indian to be featured in the short-list for this category. He was clubbed alongside tennis stars Daniil Medvedev and Emma Raducanu among others.

Covid strikes Indian camp, BCCI assessing situation

VENKATA KRISHNA B @Chennai

FOUR Indian players — Shikhar Dhawan, Shreyas Iyer, Ruturaj Gaikwad and Navdeep Saini — and three support staff members have tested positive for Covid-19 in Ahmedabad ahead of the opening ODI against West Indies starting on Sunday. With three players from the main squad down with Covid, the BCCI has added opener, Mayank Agarwal, to the ODI squad.

The Indian team had landed in Ahmedabad on Sunday for the three-match ODI series against West Indies to be played behind closed doors on Sunday. They were supposed to end their three-day quarantine on Wednesday and begin training from Thursday. But they are likely to remain indoors till Friday.

According to a statement issued by the BCCI, Dhawan, reserve player Navdeep Saini, fielding coach T Dilip and security liaison officer B Lokesh tested positive in the first round of RT-PCR tests taken on Sunday. Gaikwad tested positive in the second round of tests carried out on Tuesday while Shreyas and sports massage therapist Rajeev Kumar returned Covid positive on Wednesday. All these tests were mandatory before entering the bubble.

Shikhar Dhawan

Though the players and the support staff have not mixed together yet, the rest of the squad have been told to remain indoors for an extra day as a precaution and will undergo another round of RT-PCR test on Thursday morning.

The BCCI's medical team is monitoring the situation and the officials remained hopeful that the first ODI will go ahead as scheduled unless more players test positive. In case there are more cases in the camp, the BCCI is looking to push back the start of the ODI by a couple of days. With Sri Lanka series beginning on February 25, the BCCI has a tight schedule in place.

Among the support staff who tested positive, one happens to be a coaching staff member and the BCCI believes the six would have contracted the virus while taking the flight to Ahmedabad. The series, like all the previous ones since the onset of the pandemic, is being played in a bio-secure environment. With India gripped under a third Covid wave, the BCCI was forced to restrict the number of venues to two – Kolkata will host the T20Is – and the West Indies team, led by Kieron Pollard, touched down in Ahmedabad on Wednesday.

Among the players, Gaikwad has tested Covid positive for the second time. The opener had contracted the virus during the 2020 IPL in Dubai. With KL Rahul not in available for the first ODI and Gaikwad and Dhawan unavailable, India will need a stand-in opener to partner Rohit Sharma.

Indian pugilists set for Bulgaria challenge

ANMOL GURUNG @Chennai

THE IBA Women's World Boxing Championships is around the corner. In a calendar year that has events like Asian Games and Commonwealth Games, the World Championships is the first real test for women pugilists in the country. The preparations so far has been far from ideal. There is no high performance director for the women's team after Raffaele Bergamasco left in September following the Tokyo Olympics. The training has been affected due to Covid-19 but the boxers are gradually gaining ground under the eyes of several Indian coaches in the national camp in Delhi. Bearing in mind the world event, the Boxing Federation of India (BFI) will be sending a team (both men and women) for an IBA test event — Strandja Memorial Tournament — in Bulgaria in mid-February, a welcome boost for the boxers.

Strandja Memorial Tournament is scheduled to begin on February 18 in Sofia

The Bulgaria event is scheduled to be held from February 19 to 28 and according to the BFI, all the national champions will take part. The team is expected to leave by February 17.

The BFI was initially planning to conduct the trials for the World Championships, Asiad and CWG from February 10 but decided to postpone it to a later date. As mentioned earlier, the Covid-19 situation has made life difficult for the campers with some of them contracting the virus and being forced into isolation. Considering the same, the BFI thought it would be prudent to give the boxers some time so that they can put their best foot forward during the trials. The BFI, earlier, had set February 10-12 as tentative dates for the trials for the women's world meet and February 14-16 as dates for the CWG and Asiad (both men and women).

"We felt it is too early to pick a team. If we hold it late, the boxers will have more time to prepare and give their 100 per cent and that should be favourable for the team," Hemanta Kalita, BFI general secretary, told this daily on Wednesday.

As things, the BFI are undecided on the new dates for the trials but they're hopeful that they can conduct the same towards the end of February or early March. However, IBA could act as a stumbling block to their plans as there's a deadline date (February 28, according to BFI) to send entries for the women's world event. As such, the BFI has sent a request to IBA to postpone the entry deadline and are awaiting the world body's response. "We have requested the IBA to give us time to send entries. The last date is February 28. We have told them we want to send our best team. The decision is pending. Let's see," Hemanta revealed. As for the trials for the women's world meet, which was originally supposed to be held late last year and was postponed to 2022 due to Covid, every camper will be eligible to take part. Even the likes MC Mary Kom and Lovlina Borgohain, who had given last year's nationals a miss, will be in contention for the big event. Both of them, at present, are training on their own and are expected to join the rest of the campers in Delhi soon.

With the women's high performance director's post vacant, Santiago Nieva, who is on the verge of returning as men's high performance director, is also expected to guide the women boxers for the time being. "We do have good coaches in India. We do want to bring in high performance director of course. We have Nieva. He understands the system very well. Until someone joins, Nieva will take up the responsibility. He'll mainly make plans, the Indian coaches will work on the implementation part, Hemanta said.

EXPRESS READ

Myneni-Sasikumar enter Tata Open second round

PUNE: India's Saketh Myneni and Sasikumar Mukund began their campaign at the Tata Open Maharashtra with a 6-3, 6-4 win over compatriots Divij Sharan and Yuki Bhambri in the doubles opening round match. In the singles match, Portuguese star Joao Sousa pulled off a win against Gianluca Mager 4-6, 6-3, 7-6 (4) to enter the quarterfinals. Rohan Bopanna and Ramkumar Ramanathan secured 6-3, 3-6, 10-7 win against Jammie Cerretani and Nicholas Monroe.

ISL: SC East Bengal hold Chennaiyin FC

GOA: SC East Bengal denied Chennaiyin FC a chance to rise to third with a 2-2 draw in the 2021-22 Indian Super League (ISL) encounter at the Tilak Maidan Stadium. The red and golds scored in injury time to deny three points to Bozidar Bandovic's men, who rise to sixth, one point behind the fourth-placed team in the table. Meanwhile East Bengal are tenth with 10 points.

South Korea qualify for FIFA World Cup

Seoul: South Korea qualified for a 10th successive World Cup after beating Syria 2-0 in Dubai. Second-half goals from Kim Jin-su and Kwon Chang-hoon on Tuesday gave the Koreans a comfortable victory over the bottom team in Asia Group A qualifying. South Korea, the 15th nation to qualify for the 32-team field, moved 11 points clear of third-place United Arab Emirates with two games remaining.

CAB Women's T20 Blast from Feb 7

ENS @ Chennai

CRICKET Association of Bengal, on Wednesday, announced their inaugural premier Women's T20 Blast with six teams battling against each other starting from February 7 at Bengal Cricket Academy Ground in Kalyani.

As many as 90 players across the state, including India internationals Rumeli Dhar, Sukanya Parida, Vanitha VR, and Gouher Sultana, were drafted to take part in the six-team event. The clubs participating in the tournament are East Bengal, Rajasthan Club, Md Sporting, Town, Aryan and Kalighat Club. All matches will be streamed live on Fancode.

Nagal dropped, Yuki returns for Davis Cup

ENS/ AGENCIES @ Chennai

AS the All India Tennis Association announced the five-member Indian team for the Davis Cup World Group 1 play-off tie against Denmark, Sumit Nagal had been dropped from the squad with Yuki Bhambri taking his place.

Ramkumar Ramanathan, Prajnesh Gunneswaran, Rohan Bopanna, Divij Sharan are the other four members selected by the Committee to represent India in the tournament. The team has been selected keeping in mind the playing surface as both India's top-ranked singles player - Ramkumar and comeback man Yuki -- are comfortable playing on grass courts. Gunneswaran and Nagal, on the other hand, are not grass court players.

Besides, doubles specialist Bopanna has retained his place in the squad alongside Sharan. Saketh Myneni and Digvijay Pratap Singh are the two reserve players in the squad, to be coached by Zeeshan Ali, and has Rohit Rajpal as non-playing captain.

U-19 WC: Dhull ton propels India

AGENICIES @ Antigua

OPTING to bat first in the semi-final clash against Australia, skipper Yash Dhull led India from the front with a brilliant hundred as India posted 290 for five in 50 overs in the ongoing ICC U-19 World Cup. After losing openers early, Dhull joined hands with his deputy Shaik Rasheed, stitching a 204-run partnership to revive the innings. Both Dhull (110) and Rasheed (94) got out in quick succession, but some late fireworks from Dinesh Bawa helped India score 49 runs in the last five overs. On Tuesday, England trumped Afghanistan to enter the final.

Brief scores: India U19 290/5 in 50 ovs (Dhull 110; Nisbet 2/26) vs Australia U-19.

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Tender No. KSSTM/E/70/04 Date: 28/01/2022

E-Tender ID: 202I_KSSTM_460875_2

E-TENDER NOTICE (RETENDER)

E- Tenders under two cover system are invited by the Director, KSSTM, from reputed suppliers for the Supply of 3D Stereoscopic shows for its 3D Theatres. PAC - Rs.15,00,000/- EMD - Rs. 15,000/- Last date of submission of E-Tender 11/02/2022 4 PM.

For more details visit Kerala Government E-procurement portal www.etenders.kerala.gov.in or www.kstmuseum.com

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SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
NO- 06/ 2021-22, Dated :31.01.2022

Short tender notification **No.06/2021-22, dated:31.01.2022** are invited on E-Procurement as per KW-1, KW-2 & KW-3, for 31 works (approximate minimum amount Estimate is **14.20** lakhs maximum amount Estimate is **60.00 lakhs)** by the Executive Engineer, K.R.S.M & M.I.P. Division, Malavally. The Tenders are through E-procurement platform only. The Blank tender documents can be obtained from the Website www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in. For More information contact the office of under signed during office hours.

Sd/-Executive Engineer, CNNL, KRSM & MIP Division, Malavally.

DIPR/AD-MDY/MCA/572/2021-22

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of the Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure, Yelahanka Division, N.R. Square, Bengaluru-560 002.

No.:EE/RI/YNK/TEND/06/Call-2/2021-22 Date: 02.02.2022

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER (IFT)
(Through GOK e-Procurement Portal only) (Call-2)

The Executive Engineer, Road Infrastructure, Yelahanka Division invites tender from eligible tenderers for the work detailed in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Est. Cost (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD (Rs. in Lakhs)
1.	Restoration of Road Cut Portion by various agencies like BWSSB-BSNL-BESCOM-KPTCL in Yelahanka Zone.	68.01	1.37

1) Tender documents may be downloaded from GoK e-procurement portal from **04.02.2022 onwards. 2)** Pre-bid Meeting : **07.02.202 at 4.00 p.m. 3)** Last date & time for receipt of tenders: **11.02.2022 upto 5.30 p.m. 4)** Date of opening of Technical Bids: **14.02.2022 at 4.30 p.m.** Further details can be accessed from GoK e-procurement website: **https://eproc.karnataka. gov.in** or contact the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, RI-Yelahanka Division.

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NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER Date : 31.01.2022

Superintending Engineer, BARC, Mysuru, invites for & on behalf of President of India sealed item rate tenders from experienced Contractor with sound financial & technical capacity for following work(s):

Tender Reference No.	**BARC/MYS/CES/RT/10/2021-22**
Name of the Work	Providing and applying painting in various buildings at BARC Plant site, Mysuru for a period of one Year.
Estimated Cost	₹ **34,00,000/-** (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Only)
Completion Period	**12 (Twelve) months**
Earnest Money Deposit	₹ **68,000/-** (Rupees Sixty Eight Thousand)
Sale of Tender Documents	From **03.02.2022 (11:00 Hrs)** to **11.02.2022 (15.00 Hrs)**

Interested tenderers may please refer detailed Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) for eligibility criteria and other details, which can be downloaded from web site **https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app** and **www.barc.gov.in**

Sd/-
Superintending Engineer, BARC
For & on behalf of the President of India

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Notification

Applications are invited for the post of State Project Manager (01) , Deputy State Project Manager(01) and District Project Manager (03) posts for purely on contract and consolidated pay basis for a period of one year under PMMSY. This may be further extended for another 2 years subject to availability of funds. Last date for submission of application along with documents is **10-02-2022**. For further details visit office Website: **http://fisheries.karnataka.gov.in .**

Sd/-
Director of Fisheries

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No.KMSCL/OD/ACD/516/2021 Date : 01.02.2022

E-TENDER NOTICE

Online bids are invited from manufacturers/direct importers / loan licensees on behalf of Department of Health, Govt of Kerala for the procurement of Anti Cancer Drugs for the year 2022-23.

Sl. No.	Tender No. and Date	Category	No. of items
1.	KMSCL/OD/ACD/RC/2022/001 dtd. 02.02.2022	Anti Cancer Drugs	176

The last date and time of online uploading of tenders will be 21.02.2022, 5.00 pm. The date and time of opening of Technical bid will be 25.02.2022 11.00 am. Tenders shall be downloaded and submitted online through the e-tender portal **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in.**

(Sd/-) MANAGING DIRECTOR (Tender Inviting Authority)

Public Works Department
Executive Engineer,
Chikkaballapura Division, Chikkaballapura.

Invitation for Short-Term Tender (IFT) No.: 36-1/2021-22 Date: 31.01.2022

(For Road Works – As per Standard Bidding Document K.W.-1 & 2 in single cover system)

On behalf of the Governor of Karnataka, as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 2000, the Undersigned invites Tenders in single cover system through e-procurement portal from eligible Contractors registered in PWD for works under S.C.P./ T.S.P. Head of Account in Bagepalli Assembly Constituency. Those interested in participating in the tender can submit the tenders **from 03.02.2022 to 11.02.2022 up to 4.00 pm. (1)** Last date for objections-doubts and clarifications: **04.02.2022 (at 3.00 pm during office hours). (2)** Last date for submission of filled tenders: **11.02.2022 (up to 4.00 pm). (3)** Date of opening Financial Bid: **14.02.2022 at 11.00 am.** For more information visit website **www.kpwd.gov.in** or contact this office during office hours.

Sd/- Thimmarayappa B., Executive Engineer, P.W.D. Chikkaballapura Division, Chikkaballapura.

DIPR/Chikkaballapura/R.O. No.343/MCA/2021-22

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BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (e-procurement mode only)

KPTCL invites tenders for the various Civil works in Hoody and Somanahally Divisions through e-procurement mode only.

The detailed Notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging **on or after 03.02.2022** to **www.kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyper link 'e-procurement'-KPTCL' or to **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele.), Trans. (Maint), BMAZ (South), Ground Floor, KPTCL Office Complex, KPTCL, A.R. Circle, Bengaluru-560009. Ph: 080-22386686

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Office of The Inspector General of Registration and Commissioner of Stamps, Kandaya Bhavan, 8th Floor, KG Road, Bengaluru - 560009 Tel: 080-22220436, e-mail: aigrcomp@karnataka.gov.in

No. Comp/108/2020-21 Date: 02-02-2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Tenders are invited by the Department of Stamps and Registration for **Selection of a Service Provider for the "Procurement, Installation, Operations and Maintenance of IT Infrastructure along with Deployment of Operational Manpower in the Department Offices" on BOO (Build Own and Operate) Model .** The tenders forms, terms and conditions may be obtained through e-tender procurement. The last date for submitting completed tender forms is **04-04-2022 till 5.30 PM.** For further details please contact **Assistant Inspector General of Registration (Computers)**

Sd/- Inspector General of Registration and Commissioner of Stamps, Bengaluru.

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No: ಪಮಸಣಾಖ:ಕಾವಿ–1:ಟೆಂದರ್:43/2021–22 Date: :29.01.2022

Tender Notification (Through e-procurement)

Tenders are invited through e-procurement portal as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Rules 1999-2000 and Act 2000 and Standard Tender Document procedure to undertake the following works coming under Shivamogga City Corporation limits. The bidders who are interested in participating through e-procurement tender can obtain the details in website www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in.

(1) Last date to apply for e-tender forms online through e-procurement payment: **On 07.02.2022 (upto 4.00 P M).** (2) Date of opening of tender through e-procurement: **On 08.02.2022 after 4.30 P M.** (3) Date of opening of Financial bid through e-procurement: **On 14.02.2022 (after 10.00 A M).** (4) More details can be obtained from e-portal and other details from this office during office hours. (5) Period for completion of works: **06 months.** (6) Class of contractors : **Class III and above. Grants: 15th Finance Commission Grants for the year 2021-22.**

Sl. No.	Indent No	Details of works	Amount (Rs in lakhs)	EMD (Rs in lakhs)
1	126553	Providing UGD Household Connections in the limits of City Corporation.	80.00	1.60
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A holy meeting

Pope John Paul II met with Mother Teresa, and prayed at her home for the destitute and dying on this day in 1986

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The visit to the shelter was private but Mother Teresa said the Pope would help feed the 86 dying patients, all rescued from the streets

EXCHANGING GREETINGS

Calling it "the happiest day of my life", Mother Teresa climbed up into the white popemobile and kissed the ring of the Bishop of Rome

A TOUR OF THE HOME

The Pope spent 40 minutes at the Nirmal Hriday home. He was led by Mother Teresa by hand and he stopped to bless and greet all the patients

Shivanna to dub for Puneeth in James

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'I HAVE BARELY SCRATCHED THE SURFACE OF THE MUSIC INDUSTRY'

Sid Sriram, the voice behind popular song, *Srivalli*, from the movie *Pushpa: the Rise*, speaks to *CE* about the his musical journey, collaborations with AR Rahman, and what he thinks of his songs being used in various reels

I have been recording more Kannada songs in the last month. I love the language, and the industry has some incredible music directors

Sid Sriram, singer

PIC: VIKRAM VALLURI

MONIKA MONALISA

ON his Instagram handle, actor Allu Arjun recently posted a video of singer **Sid Sriram** crooning *Srivalli*, from his multilingual movie *Pushpa: The Rise*, without any background music. The famed actor captioned it, "He [Sid Sriram] does not need music..he is music." The singer's fans will heartily agree with this statement. Currently riding high on the success of the song – which has been sung in the Kannada and Tamil versions of the movie as well – Sriram says, "I was not really thinking about how successful the song would be. I was immersed in the moment. But the response to the song has egged me on."

One needn't be Instagram-savvy to come across reels with *Srivalli* playing in the background. Despite staying away from social media, Sriram is often sent these memes which crack him up. "I remember the first time the lyrical video came out, I loved that little move that Allu Arjun *garu* does. I thought it was super swag. Now a bunch of cricketers have also jumped onto the trend...so it's been cool," says Sriram.

This is the second time the singer has lent his voice for Allu Arjun, the first being for *Samajavaragamana* in the movie *Ala Vaikunthapurramuloo*, which was a massive hit too. "We have mutual respect for each other. *Pushpa*...has got a certain edge to it with a mass appeal," says Sriram, who was discovered by AR Rahman and started his career in playback singing with the song *Adiye* in the Tamil movie, *Kadal*.

Sriram is ever grateful to Rahman, who was instrumental in shaping his career. "It all started with my sending an email to Rahman and he magically responded to it. He mentioned *Adiye* to me, and the way it was explained was like soul blues meets Tamil fishermen folk music. It was a popular one for sure and a trailblazer of a song," says Sriram.

Becoming an instant hit from the first song itself can be overwhelming, but Sriram does make a conscious effort to keep himself grounded. "Music is an infinite ocean and I will never be able to learn everything. Although I have been in the industry for a decade, I have only scratched its surface," says Sriram, who learnt Carnatic music from his mother Latha Sriram.

Had there been no pandemic, Sriram, like many others, feels that he would have been far ahead. But then again, he's the kind to focus on the present. "I have been recording more Kannada songs in the last month. I love the language and the industry has some incredible music directors," he signs off.

A still from the podcast trailer

From Virat Kohli opening up about his mental health to AB de Villiers talking about his love for B'luru, this upcoming podcast shows RCB stars beyond their time on field

SANATH PRASAD

DID you know that Yuzvendra Chahal used to practise chess for 15 hours a day and sleep for just four-five hours in a day? Or do you know why Virat Kohli believes his wife Anushka Sharma has a stronger association with Bengaluru than him? An upcoming podcast on cricket franchise Royal Challengers Bangalore (RCB) is a tell-all show that delves into the lesser-known sides of prominent cricketers.

Hosted by actor Danish Sait, The RCB Podcast: *How IPL Changed My Life* will feature players and the officials from the RCB camp who open up about their IPL journey and some untold stories from the dressing room. An overnight conversation after the second wave of Covid-19, or in other words after the India's schedule of IPL 2021 concluded, RCB along with All Things Small (ATS) a podcast company, collaborated to produce content that would share inspiring and intriguing stories about the RCB stars and their iconic cricketing moments.

AB de Villiers

Sait, who will be hosting the 10-episode series, says, "When I heard what ATS did with Harsha sir (Harsha Bhogle) on *Mission ISRO*, I was really excited to work with them. Sometimes you have to charter your own course and I am glad that team saw value in ATS. The RCB players were really honest and candid while recording the podcast and the fact that there was a good interpersonal relationship among the team, makes this product more deserving to the fans. Also, you got to appreciate someone like Virat opening about his mental health and being forthright about it."

The podcast is generally based on 'How IPL Changed Your Life', but the conversations also extends beyond the cricket field, where Mohammad Siraj talks about his relationship with his father and how his lifestyle changes after IPL; AB de Villiers talks about the housing offers he received from Bengaluru ; how the Delhi franchise were behind Virat Kohli during the early auction days; and also some references to the Universe Boss Chris Gayle. "We have dug deeper into conversations that are part of popular culture. Despite knowing the players, a lot of research went into extracting some great stories. All interviews were great, but the one with Siraj was quite emotional because he took us through his past which brought in great energy during the shoot," says Sait.

Ajith Ramamurthy, head-content and digital for RCB, says, "You can expect some really hard-hitting stories in this podcast. We wanted to make off-season content and this is the first season in that direction." The podcast, which will stream on Spotify and other platforms this weekend, will also feature players like, Devdutt Padikal, Glenn Maxwell and Mike Hesson, director of cricket operations for RCB.

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KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE* on Thursday.

THE RIGHT ANSWERS ARE

1) Cantonment Railway Station 2) True 3) Akkithimmanahalli Lake

FIRST THREE TO GET IT RIGHT

1. VP Prathap
2. Srikantan
3. Chitra Ramaswamy

Pooch in the pool

Grammy winner **Ricky Kej** had a cool week, involving some aquatic adventures with his 'boys'. Now, we're talking about his furry friends who went swimming. While also posting some videos, Kej wrote on social media, "Took a break and went swimming with the boys. They had the time of their lives.. and are exhausted now!! So I served them their meals in their bed." If that's what you call a dog's life, we love it!

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CITY READ

Hotel launches new brewery menu

JW Marriott Bengaluru has launched a brewery JW Brew at their lounge, Merak. The place offers brewed beers, curated by brewmaster Kartik Singh. The menu includes Belgian Witbier, The American-style West Coast IPA, Winter Warmer and Kolsch. The menu also includes food delicacies like Tempuras, house-made nachos, pan-fried Gyoza, Bao wraps, Witbier batter-fried coconut para and much more.

Fashion designer Shloka Sudhakar's new collection focuses on prints, embroidery and colour play

Fashionably chic

MONIKA MONALISA

IF you are someone who believes in the phrase 'less is more', then fashion designer **Shloka Sudhakar** has you covered. Her latest collection is 'fresh, clean and versatile' and focuses on prints, embroidery and colour play.

Having been in the fashion industry for more than 10 years now and designing for celebrities like Shamita Shetty, Nidhi Agarwal etc, she wanted to start the year with some clean designs. "I like pop colours. They are vibrant and have a positive and peppy vibe to them. When everything is dull and going slow, I believe colours can instantly lift your mood," says Sudhakar, whose designs also have her signature zig-zag prints.

Though on the lines of contemporary designs, Sudhakar has used thread work embroidery, giving the collection a chic look. "The designs have embroidery-like thread embroidery on prints and subtle embellishments with pearls and sequins. The subtle work brings a very rich look to designs," says Sudhakar, adding that one might not need much jewellery to go with it.

The collection has extensive use of crepe and soft denim fabric, making it lightweight, easy and breezy, and suitable for any occasion. "The beauty of this collection is that it is apt for brunches, day events, awards functions, casual wear or even Indian functions like a sangeet or haldi ceremony," says Sudhakar.

A design by Shloka Sudhakar

Why just functions? Sudhakar believes one should be well-turned-out even while working from home. "Work from home does not mean you can't be presentable. Whether you are going to the office or working from home, you are still meeting people," laughs Sudhakar. Her personal favourites are colourful denim tunics which go well for casual wear or can be used for informal meetings at the office. "They are easy-to-carry and apt for rough use," she adds.

With responsible fashion being the key word, fashion enthusiasts are slowly going towards versatile pieces than trendy ones. Sudhakar also follows a similar ideology. "Being in the industry, I have come up with many glamorous pieces and trendy ones, but I personally believe in classic ones which can be worn many times and are ageless," says Sudhakar.

MUSIC FESTIVAL

Dance till you drop with Fiesta Music Festival, a noon dance party happening at the XOOX, Koramangala. Groove to your favourite music numbers with your friends and partners. **When:** Feb 6 **Details:** eventalways.com

MUSICAL SHOW

Fan of Jane Austen's writing? Watch *Pride and Prejudice*, a new musical adaption brought to you by Paul Gordon. This musical is available on demand for streaming on insider's website. **Details:** insider.in

SWIRL AND TWIRL

Get groovy and move those hips with Motley Dance Company. Learn Salsa and Bachata at Lahe Lahe and pick up a new skill. **When:** Feb 6 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

RAINING HEARTS

No plans for Valentine's Day? Experience a candlelight dinner along with live music and fun activities at the Starlit Suites, Whitefield. **When:** Feb 14 **Details:** eventbrite.com

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Harvest festival

Head to Make My Garden to witness a harvest festival, Hurda. The festival showcases farm culture along with bonfire and activities. **When:** Feb 5, 9.30 am **Details:** highape.com

Ladies, it's your night

Wear your best dress as a ladies' night takes over at Bombay Adda Bengaluru. Shake a leg to Bollywood music featuring DJ Kaleem. **When:** Feb 3 **Details:** highape.com

Curtains off

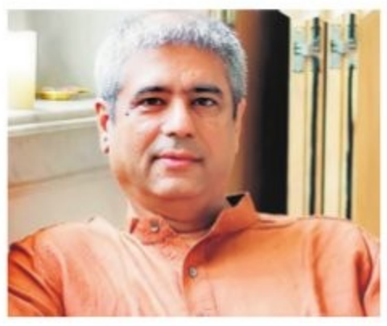
Dive into the world of art and theatre with 'Ucchishta', directed by SN Sethuram. The play revolves around a professor, his mistress and her first husband's daughter. Watch the play at Rangashankara, JP Nagar. **When:** Feb 3 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

Bring a smile

Freedom Employability Academy has come up with a mentorship programme that aims to help students from low-income backgrounds get a better understanding of various professional options required. One can register on the site to volunteer and mentor the kids. **Details:** insider.in

SHOW TIME

Theatre artiste Mahesh Dattani is back with an audio play, *A Little Drape of Heaven*. Tune in online to witness the play about a boy and a forbidden piece of clothing, sari. **When:** Feb 14 **Details:** Insider.in



QUICK FIX

What's cooking

IN YOUR KITCHEN?
We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at cityexpresschn@gmail.com.

BRENDA CHEESE CROQUETTE

INGREDIENTS

- **Bread:** 3-4 slices
- **Egg:** 1
- **Cheese cubes:** 2, quartered
- **Onion:** 1, finely chopped
- **Sausages:** 2, chopped
- **Green chilli:** 2, finely chopped
- **Coriander leaves:** a handful
- **Salt, Garlic** to taste
- **Chilli flakes/ mixed herbs/ black pepper:** to taste

METHOD

- Soak the bread in water for a few minutes. Squeeze the water out and crumble the bread in a mixing bowl.
- Add all the ingredients into the bowl. Mix well to make a dough.
- Take some mixture and press the cubed cheese in the centre.
- Shape the dough into croquettes and deep fry till golden brown.
- Serve with onion rings, cucumber, chutney or sauce of your choice.

— Sudeshna Roy, Kolkata

SOUND BOARD

WHY WON'T YOU DATE ME?

Nicole Byer is single and has been for decades. She's smart, funny, has a fat ass and loves giving blow jobs. So the question is why is she perpetually single?

- Available: Apple Podcast

MY FAVORITE MURDER

Lifelong fans of true crime stories Karen Kilgariff and Georgia Hardstark tell each other their favorite tales of murder and hear hometown crime stories from friends and fans.

- Available: Spotify

WHERE SHOULD WE BEGIN?

Listen to the incomparable therapist Esther Perel counsel real couples as they reveal the most intimate, personal, and complicated details of the conflicts that have brought them to her door.

- Available: Apple Podcast

WHO THE HELL IS HAMISH?

He was born Hamish Watson, a surfie dude from Sydney – but he could morph into whatever you needed him to be.

- Available: Spotify

YOU'RE WRONG ABOUT

Sarah is a journalist obsessed with the past. Every week she reconsiders a person or event that's been miscast in the public imagination.

- Available: Jio Saavn

TERRIBLE, THANKS FOR ASKING

You know how when someone asks "How are you?" you just say "Fine," even if you're totally dying inside, so everyone can go about their day? "Terrible, Thanks For Asking" is the opposite of that.

- Available: Apple Podcast

POPULAR ON YOUTUBE

BAIRAVAA

A loan recovery officer, Bhairava, finds a girl who wants to expose a local gangster and starts liking her. However, when he listens to her story, Bhairava decides to help her in her endeavours.

- Cast: Vijay, Keerthy Suresh, Jagapathi Babu, Y Gee Mahendra

UPPI 2

Neenu leads a selfless life helping others in need without expecting anything in return. In the meantime, the police and an underworld don are on the lookout for him over a multi-crore property.

- Cast: Upendra Rao, Kristina Akheeva, Parul Yadav, Priyanka Upendra

CHOWKA

Four prisoners, who are framed for crimes they did not commit, come together to help a school teacher prove his innocence in the crime for which he was framed.

- Cast: Diganth, Prajwal Devaraj, Vija Raghavendra, Priyamani

AMMA I LOVE YOU

On the advice of a saint, a rich man crosses all boundaries to restore his mother's health as she is on her deathbed. In order to do that, he must turn into a beggar for 48 hours.

- Cast: Nishvika Naidu, Chiranjeevi Sarja, Ravi Kale, Chikkanna

DODDMANE HUDGA

Surya, a boy belonging to a big family of the town, moves out of the house when ignored by his father Rajivappa. However, after a few years, he comes back to rescue his land from a local criminal.

- Cast: Puneeth Rajkumar, Bharathi Vishnuvardhan, Chikkanna, Ambareesh

WHAT'S ON TED TALKS

1 THE RADICAL ACT OF CHOOSING COMMON GROUND BY NISHA ANAND

To achieve lasting change sometimes requires the hard, even radical, choice of partnering with people you'd least expect. Justice reform advocate Nisha Anand shares her story of working with her ideological opposite to make history and save lives – and urges us all to widen our circles in order to make progress with purpose.

2 3 RULES FOR BETTER WORK-LIFE BALANCE BY ASHLEY WHILLANS

According to behavioral scientist and Harvard Business School professor Ashley Whillans, "always-on" work culture is not only ruining our personal well-being – but our work, as well. She shares which bad habits are stopping us from getting what we need out of our free time and three practical steps for setting boundaries that stick.

3 HIDDEN TOXINS IN THE FISH WE EAT BY STEPHEN PALUMBI

Marine biologist Stephen Palumbi shows how toxins at the bottom of the ocean food chain find their way into our bodies, and tells a shocking story of toxic contamination in the fish market, where consumers were being tricked into buying fish that's not only mislabeled but unsafe.

4 HOW THE MILITARY FIGHTS CLIMATE CHANGE BY DAVID TITLEY

Scientist and retired US Navy officer David Titley takes us from the humanitarian catastrophe in Syria to the icy shores of Svalbard to show how the military approaches the threat of climate change, in a refreshingly practical, nonpartisan take on climate preparedness.

5 HOW QUINOA CAN HELP COMBAT HUNGER AND MALNUTRITION BY CEDRIC HABIYAREMYE

On a mission to create a hunger-free world, agricultural entrepreneur Cedric Habiyaremye makes the case for cultivating quinoa in places experiencing malnutrition. He shares a model to help smallholder farmers across Africa diversify their fields with nutritious and indigenous crops, taking a step towards ensuring healthy foods are available.

FIT BIT

VIPARITA DANDASANA

(THE INVERTED STAFF OR STICK POSE)

This is an inverted back bending asana included in flow yoga sequences. This is an advanced asana that requires great flexibility in the body, especially in the back. It is also known an 'upward-facing two-foot staff pose' or 'two-legged inverted staff pose'. Viparita is also used to describe a type of Raja yoga that is thought to cause improvement following an unfortunate event. In the classic version of this asana, the feet, hands, and head rest on the earth. It is believed to symbolise the yogi's salutation to the divine force. The adaptation with props makes the pose easier to practise, and helps soothe an emotional or restless mind.
All asanas must be performed under the guidance of a teacher.

STEPS

- Lie on your back on the mat. Bend your knees and draw your heels close to the glutes as much as possible.
- Make sure the soles of the feet a little wider than your hips.
- Bend your arms and place your palms by your ears, fingertips facing the shoulders.
- Keeping your arms straight, interlock the fingers behind the head.
- Lift your hips, shoulders, and head off the floor; the crown of the head rests on the ground between your hands and feet.
- Push the elbows down firmly then lift the head off the floor and look down, in between the hands. Gently release the interlocked fingers and press the palms together. You can breathe normally.
- Hold the pose as long as you are comfortable.

BENEFITS

- Builds emotional stability and self-confidence.
- Stimulates the adrenal, thyroid, pituitary, and pineal glands.
- Gently massages and strengthens the heart, preventing arterial blockage.
- Useful to increase the lung capacity.
- Stretches the entire front body and thereby opens the chest.
- Relieves indigestion and flatulence.

LIMITATIONS

- Avoid this during pregnancy and if you have migraine, stress-related headaches, eye strain, constipation, diarrhea or insomnia.
- Discontinue if you feel dizzy.
- If you suffer from backaches, practice a few twists before and after this pose.

— by N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

SIVAKUMARIN SABADHAM (Tamil)

Sivakumar, a young man, belongs to a family of master weavers but is unemployed and careless. However, he soon vows to revive and restore his family's lost legacy.

Cast: Madhuri Jain, Hiphop Tamizhan Adhi, Prankster Rahul, VJ Parvathy

- Available on: Disney+ Hotstar

WORLD FAMOUS LOVER (Telugu)

As Gautham, an aspiring writer, grieves his heartbreak by penning his thoughts in the form of love stories, he recognises the mistakes made by him in his relationship.

Cast: Rashi Khanna, Izabelle Leite, Vijay Deverakonda, Aishwarya Rajesh

- Available on: Sony Liv

THE ROSE VILLA (Kannada)

Ravi and Sweta meet a lonely elderly couple when their car breaks down in the forest. Invited to their home, strange behaviour sets off alarm bells and Ravi and Sweta attempt to escape.

Cast: Dheekshith Shetty, Swetha Varma, Archana Kumar, Anju Prabhakar

- Available on: Amazon Prime Video

MGR MAGAN (Tamil)

An estranged father and son must join hands to save a medicinal mountain from the claws of a businessman.

Cast: Mirnalini Ravi, M Sasikumar, Nandita Swetha, Samuthirakani

- Available on: Disney+ Hotstar

EE NAGARANIKI EMAINDI (Telugu)

Childhood friends Vivek, Karthik, Kaushik and Uppi hope for careers in film-making during university but eventually give up and settle into other jobs. To earn money for a wedding, they enter Goa Short film festival and rekindle their dream.

Cast: Tharun Bhascker Dhassyam, Vishwak Sen, Venkatesh Kakumanu, Sai Sushanth

- Watch on: Netflix

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

MUGGURU MONAGALLU (Kannada)

Three people who are each deaf, dumb, and blind go to the police station with a few clues regarding murders.

Cast: Dheekshith Shetty, Swetha Varma, Srinivasa Reddy, Vennala Ramarao

- Available on: Amazon Prime Video

SKATER GIRL (Hindi)

When a teen in rural India discovers a life-changing passion for skateboarding, she faces a rough road as she follows her dream to compete.

Cast: Rachel Saanchita Gupta, Amrit Maghera, Shafin Patel, Jonathan Readwin

- Available on: Netflix

FOREIGN

27 DRESSES (English)

After serving as a bridesmaid 27 times, Jane is shocked when her younger sister announces her engagement to the man she loves. Meanwhile, she also meets a cynical journalist who has a hidden agenda.

Cast: Katherine Heigl, James Marsden, Malin Akerman, Peyton List

- Available on: Disney+ Hotstar

CASTLE IN THE SKY (Anime)

Young orphan Sheeta and her kidnapper, Col. Muska, are flying to a military prison when their plane is attacked by a gang of air pirates. Sheeta meets fellow orphan Pazu and they set out to discover the mystical floating city of Laputa.

Cast: Mark Hamill, Anna Paquin, James Van Der Beek

- Available on: Netflix

JOJO RABBIT (English)

Hitler Youth cadet Jojo Betzler firmly believes in the ideals of Nazism manifested by his imaginary friend, Adolf Hitler. However, his foundations are shaken when he finds a Jewish girl in his house.

Cast: Taika Waititi, Scarlett Johansson, Roman Griffin Davis, Thomasin McKenzie

- Available on: Disney+ Hotstar

BURNING (Korean)

Jong-soo runs into Hae-mi, a girl who once lived in his neighborhood, and she asks him to watch her cat while she's out of town. When she returns, she introduces him to Ben, a man she met on the trip. Ben proceeds to tell Jong-soo about his hobby.

Cast: Jeon Jong-Seo, Yoo Ah-in, Steven Yeun, Oh Jung-mi

- Available on: Amazon Prime Video

SUBSCRIPTION

Disney+ Hotstar: ₹ 499 per year
Apple TV: ₹ 99 per month
Prime Video: ₹ 129 per month
Netflix: ₹ 149 per month

The recent death of a young mother from a high-profile family, supposedly due to postpartum depression, only emphasises the importance of not dismissing signs as temporary 'baby blues'

HELP AT HAND FOR NEW MOMS

DR GAYATHRI KAMATH

A child's birth evokes a wide range of intense emotions, from joy and excitement to dread and anxiety. It can lead to something as unexpected as depression. Most new moms experience postpartum 'baby blues', a temporary condition that does not interfere with daily activities or necessitates medical attention. It typically begins 2-3 days post-delivery and lasts up to two weeks. Postpartum depression is a manageable medical condition characterised by bouts of profound sadness, indifference, or worry, as well as changes in energy, sleep, and appetite. It poses a threat to both the mother and the kid. Postpartum Depression (PPD) can be a side effect of childbirth that affects 10 per cent of new mothers. For over the past two years, constant lockdowns and persistent fear of infections have been triggering postpartum anxiety and clinical depression crises in pregnant women and new moms (at an estimated 10-20 per cent).

Watch out

Postpartum depression is often mistaken for baby blues at first but is distinguishable through the presence of more severe and persistent symptoms, interfering with one's ability to care for their infant and accomplish other everyday tasks. Symptoms normally appear within the first several weeks post-delivery, although there is no defined timeline.

- Irritability and rage at an all-time high
- Fear of failing as a mother
- Hopelessness
- Hysterical crying episodes
- Feelings of insignificance, pessimism, and powerlessness
- Inability to think clearly, concentrate
- Severe anxiety, panic attacks, restlessness
- Suspicion of harming oneself or their child
- Difficulty in bonding with the infant
- Withdrawal from friends and relatives
- Sleeping problems
- Appetite shifts
- Extreme exhaustion
- Reduced libido

New fathers experience postpartum depression too

Paternal postnatal depression is highly prevalent. According to studies published in the *Journal of the American Medical Association*, about 10 per cent of fathers experience sadness, fatigue, anxiousness, or altered eating and sleeping routines before or shortly after their baby is born. A new father may feel a lot of responsibility to provide for his child, which can cause financial as well as emotional stress. Men with a history of depression may be more susceptible, while new fathers who share postpartum symptoms with their partners are also at risk. Consider seeking medical attention if the symptoms linger for more than two to three weeks.

Treatment often depends on the type of symptoms as well as the severity of depression. Anti-anxiety or antidepressant drugs, psychotherapy, and support groups are all feasible options. Cognitive Behavioural Therapy(CBT) may be used in certain cases. There is evidence to prove that robust family support helps fight PPD.

(The writer is obstetrician, and gynaecologist, Fortis Hospital, Bannerghatta Road)

WHEN TO SEE A DOCTOR

Postpartum depression, if left untreated, can negatively impact both the mother's health and quality of life, as well as the baby's well-being.

GET IMMEDIATE PROFESSIONAL HELP IF YOU FEEL THE FOLLOWING

- Severe lasting depression
- Overpowering suicidal thoughts
- Inability to finish daily tasks

Research has shown that foods such as nuts, cinnamon, beans, broccoli, fatty fish, flax seeds, tomatoes, olive oil may lower cancer risk

THE LINK BETWEEN FOOD AND CANCER

DR VIJAY AGARWAL

A healthy diet cannot cure any illnesses but it can lead to the formation of a good healthy life which is vital to lead to a happy disease-free life. What we eat has a major impact on our health, including the risk of developing chronic diseases like heart disease, diabetes and cancer. Thus, a diet rich in whole foods, paired with a healthy lifestyle, will improve many aspects of your health. Genetics and family history play a role when it comes to cancer. It is not possible to change genes but we can change our habits such as diet. Research has shown that some foods are associated with a higher risk of certain types of cancer while others help in reducing the risk.

Foods such as nuts, cinnamon, beans, barriers, broccoli, fatty fish, flax seeds, tomatoes, olive oil, etc. may lower the cancer risk. One may consider including these foods in their diet.

GARLIC: Garlic is used both for cooking and medicine. Several studies have found an association between garlic intake and a lower risk of certain types of cancer. Garlic contains allicin, a compound that may help ease inflammation and block free radicals that harm cells and tissues in your body. Also, eating more garlic could lead to decreased risks of stomach, prostate and colorectal cancers. Hence, including 2-5 grams (approximately one clove) of fresh garlic into your diet per day is a good idea.

TURMERIC: Curcumin in turmeric has a variety of health benefits, including fighting cancer cells. Curcumin has been shown to reduce the growth of many types of cancer and lesions in test-tube and human studies. Some lab studies have found it might work against lung, breast, prostate, and colon cancers. One can consume it with milk as haldi milk or while cooking. Consume 2-3 teaspoons (1-3 grams) of ground turmeric per day for health benefits.

CITRUS FRUITS: Oranges, lemons, grapefruits, pomelos, and limes are citrus fruits one must consider including in their diet plan. According to various studies, a higher intake of citrus fruits could decrease the risk of certain types of cancers, including pancreatic and stomach cancers, along with cancers of the digestive and upper respiratory tracts.

CARROTS: It is said that carrots are best eaten cooked. But one can consider it eating raw or cooked as per your likings. Carrots contain beta-carotene, antioxidant scientists believe may protect cell membranes from toxin damage and slow the growth of cancer cells. Studies show that consuming carrots can help decrease the risk of prostate, lung and stomach cancer.

BROCCOLI: The tree-looking plant broccoli has various health benefits. It contains sulforaphane, a compound that has been shown to cause tumour cell death and reduce tumour size in test-tube and animal studies. The compound helps in fighting off breast cancer, lowers the risk of colorectal and colon cancer.

FRIED FOODS: Eating a high amount of fried food can increase the risk of various health conditions such as type 2 diabetes and obesity. These conditions can promote oxidative stress and inflammation, further increasing your cancer risk.

REFINED CARBS & SUGAR: Like fried items, refined carbohydrates & sugar can indirectly increase your risk for cancer.

PROCESSED MEATS: The methods used to make processed meats (smoking or salting, curing or adding chemical preservatives) can create carcinogens. Processed meat is a major risk factor for colorectal cancer. It is also linked with stomach cancer. Studies show that high consumption of processed meat was associated with an increased risk of breast cancer.

ALCOHOL: There is a strong scientific consensus that alcohol drinking can cause several types of cancer. Drinking alcohol every day over time increases the risk of developing alcohol-associated cancer. Alcohol when consumed, the liver breaks it down into acetaldehyde, a carcinogenic compound. In women, alcohol increases levels of estrogen which increases the risk for estrogen receptor-positive breast cancer.

RED MEAT: If red meats make up a lot of your diet, consider making some changes. Studies have shown that consuming large amounts of red meat is associated with an increased risk of colon, rectum, prostate and pancreatic cancer. 18 per cent of bowel cancer cases are from consuming excessive red meats.

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MISS-FIT

Wanitha Ashok

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I learnt from my daughter's science book that human body is made of 60 per cent water. Am I putting on weight because I drink a lot of water?

A: Nope, you are putting on weight due to excess calories, sedentary lifestyle and lack of exercise. Guess what? When your hydration level is not balanced, your body tends to hang onto that water. However, consumption of excess salt, hormonal issues, certain medications can lead to water retention and make you look bulky. Water is an important and forgotten nutrient, every cell in the body is made up of water. It has many functions to perform and one of the functions that might interest you is weight loss. So, don't stop chugging water, instead, make lifestyle changes and shrink.

How much weight loss is healthy?

A: Two to 2.5 kg a month via calorie deficit and exercise is healthy. Extreme weight loss is unhealthy and leads to health complications. Weight loss works this way. Calorie deficit and calorie expenditure. Create a calorie deficit by eating 250 fewer calories but do not compromise on nutrition. Expend 250 calories via exercise. So that 500 calories burnt per day per week amounts to 3,500 calories and that is close to half a kilo weight loss. So in a month, you can lose about 2-2.5 kilos depending on age, commitment, consistency and hormonal issues.

For a week, I ate healthy and worked out but the number on the weighing scale doesn't seem to move. Am I doing something wrong?

A: Remember transformation is not overnight, it's a slow process. Lower your expectations, set realistic goals, stay dedicated and committed to your workouts and diet. It takes 1-2 months to notice a change, 2-3 months for your friends to notice a change.

NUGGETS

How Omicron escapes from antibodies

The dozens of mutations found in the spike protein of the Omicron variant help it to evade all four of the classes of antibodies that can target the SARS-CoV-2 virus that causes Covid-19, suggests a study. This includes antibodies generated by vaccinated or previously infected people, as well as most of the monoclonal antibody treatments that have been developed, said Ram Sasisekharan, Professor of Biological Engineering and Health Sciences and Technology (HST) at MIT. The traditional approach doesn't describe the multidimensional complexity of the protein surfaces that antibodies are attempting to bind to. —IANS

Tech help elderly meet daily activity goals

A team of researchers who used activity data shared from the Apple Heart and Movement Study has found that participants ages 65 and older were more likely than their younger counterparts to stay on track, meeting their goal of at least 150 minutes of activity per week. The researchers from Brigham and Women's Hospital in the US, in collaboration with the American Heart Association and Apple, found that after analysing more than 18 million workouts logged using Apple Watch during the pandemic, study participants relied on getting their activity minutes in by walking, cycling, and running the most. —IANS

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NATURE, DEPTH AND BEAUTY OF DEATH

What is death, what is immortality and what is continuity? In the understanding of all that we have to really delve very, very deeply into the nature of time and thought, which we have been doing from the beginning of these talks.

Time, we said, is the past, modifying itself in the present, and the future is the present having its roots in the past, continuing, which is the future. Right? So the future is now. That is, we have evolved according to the biologists, scientists — we have been on this earth as human beings, evolving for 40, 50 thousand years.

During that long interval of time, during that duration, we have accumulated a great deal of information, knowledge, experience and technologically we have advanced in the most extraordinary way but inwardly, psychologically, subjectively, we are very primitive, barbarous, and we have not fundamentally changed; we are violent, brutal, competitive, terribly aggressive and so on.

And unless one deeply understands, not merely theoretically, but the nature of time, when and what is time.

Is time a continuity? — I am this, I will be. When is time? You understand? Is there time in the very act of doing? Is there time in the very action of life? You plant a seed in the ground and it grows, flowers, bears fruit and dies and while that seed is growing, moving, living, there is no concept of time. It is only we human beings who have the concept of time. And when we are doing something completely, holistically, without any sense of fragmented outlook or behaviour, the doing — in that act of doing there is no time. Haven't you noticed all this?

As you are sitting here and listening unfortunately, or fortunately, to the speaker, as you are listening very attentively — which I hope one is doing — this attention has no time. Right? It is only time comes into being when you say, 'What is he talking about? I don't quite understand', — or I make a tremendous effort to understand — then time comes into being. But when there is actual listening, seeing very clearly, then there is no time at all. And understanding this we are going to enquire together, the speaker means together, all of us together, into the nature and the depth and the beauty of death.

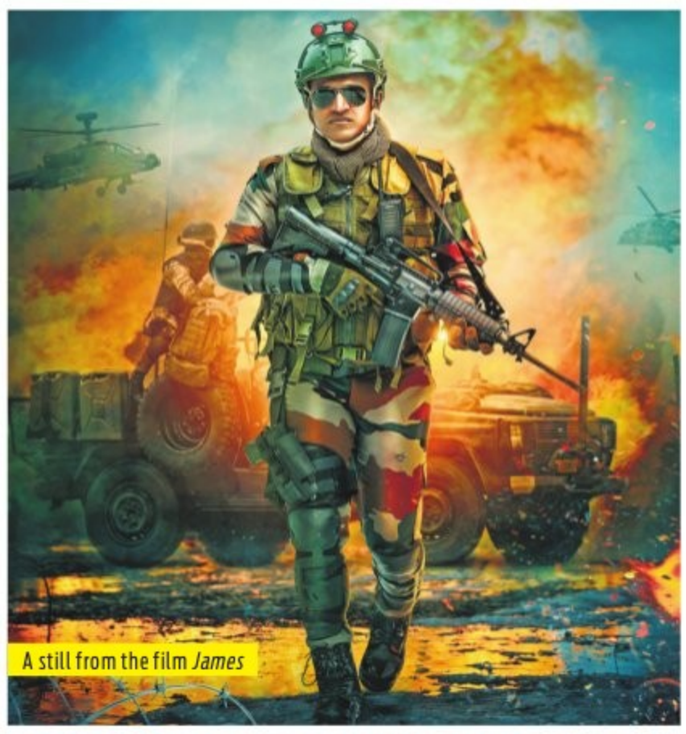
When one uses the word beauty, what do we mean by that word? What is beauty to you? Because we are saying beauty is truth, like love is truth. What is beauty? A beautiful person, a beautiful painting, a great mountain that is immovable, full of snow, valleys, shadows and the deep blue depth of a vast valley.

The great paintings, the ancient sculptures and when we look at them we say how marvellously beautiful they are. Is beauty something in the beholder, in the observer, in the seer? Or is beauty when the observer is not? Because in our life, daily life there is so little beauty.

We want to have a beautiful body, beautiful face, and you do all kinds of things to bring that beauty about, exercise, so-called yoga!

—Jiddu Krishnamurti

SHIVARAJKUMAR DUBS FOR BROTHER PUNEETH RAJKUMAR IN *JAMES*


A still from the film *James*

The dubbed versions of the action entertainer, directed by Chethan Kumar, will be released in Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, and Hindi

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SHIVARAJKUMAR has dubbed for his late brother Puneeth Rajkumar in the latter's upcoming film, *James*. The Century Star, who is currently shooting for *Vedha*, took some time out to dub for Puneeth, who passed away on October 29. Shivanna, who visited Puneeth Rajkumar's memorial at Kanteerava Studio on Wednesday, told the media, "Dubbing for my brother's film was an emotional moment. Seeing Appu on the screen, and to sit through the process made it tough for me. It was also difficult to match his voice. It took me two-and-a-half days, and I have completed the dubbing. I have tried my best, and hope the audience will like it," says Shivanna, and added that he couldn't turn down the request.

Shivanna also said that it is challenging to dub for another actor. "Being the son of a legendary actor (Dr. Rajkumar), and being his fan, we still can't imitate Appaji's voice," he said.

The film, backed by producer Kishore Pathikonda, will be released on March 17. The dubbed versions of *James*, directed by Chethan Kumar, will be released in Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam, and Hindi. The film starring Priya Anand in the female lead, has music by Charan Raj and cinematography by J Swamy. The cast also includes Shine Shetty, Tilak, Srikanth Meka, and Chikkanna among others playing prominent roles.

Shivarajkumar

A still from the film

DANISH SAIT: IT FEELS GOOD THAT THE WORK I DO HOLDS MERIT

The actor, along with director Vamsidhar Bhogaraj, talks about their upcoming satirical comedy thriller, *One Cut Two Cut*. The film will be out on Amazon Prime Video on Feb 3

A SHARADHAA

2022 has begun on a good note for Danish Sait. He has had two film releases in less than a month. After *Nograj*, the antics of Gopi, another quirky character created by Danish, will be explored in Vamsidhar Bhogaraju's directorial debut, *One Cut Two Cut*. The satirical comedy-drama marks Danish's third collaboration with Amazon Prime Video after *Humble Politician Nograj* and *French Biriyani*. "We have tried to make a refreshing concept with this one. It is funny and the stakes are high. Everything about the film feels like a dream that I don't want to wake up from," says Danish.

For director Vamsi, who was in the corporate world and then went on to become a standup comedian, getting into filmmaking was always his childhood dream, which is realised with *One Cut Two Cut*. "I always wanted to be involved in films and got an opportunity to work with Danish in *Humble Politician Nograj*. That experience helped me to learn a lot about filmmaking. We both also collaborated on a bunch of videos and created content together. I have directed him in ads. We tried telling long stories and that led to making this film."

When asked about how both Nograj and Gopi of Danish went viral, Danish says, "I call these happy accidents, and I would like to have them more often. It feels good that the work I do holds merit. As a content creator, the most important thing for me is to drive value back. I am glad that my three films have worked in favour of the producer, directors, and the digital platform. People have faith in little accidents that turn into something like this."

Vamsidhar Bhogaraj

The film revolves around an art and crafts teacher Gopi whose first day at work turns into a mission of saving the school from four radical social media activists. According to Vamsi, *One Cut Two Cut* is an attempt to make a comedy adventure, a genre less explored on-screen. That's the movie's biggest selling point. I'm sure that the audience will have a good laugh and will also have something to think about," says Vamsi.

Danish says that they wanted to do something unusual with the character Gopi, and that's how they came up with the plot of an art and crafts teacher in the middle of a terrorist attack. "The idea behind the subject was to talk about an important issue, but still make it light," he says.

One Cut Two Cut, produced by PRK Production's Ashwini Puneeth Rajkumar in association with Gurudatha Talwar, also features actors like Prakash Belawadi, Samyukta Hornad, Vineeth 'Beep' Kumar, and Sampath Maitreya, in pivotal roles.

The film's music is by Nakul Abhyankar, and its cinematography and editing is handled by Sahit Anand.

RAGHU'S DEBUT VENTURE *JAADAGHATTA* TO HIT THEATRES ON FEB 4

CE FEATURES

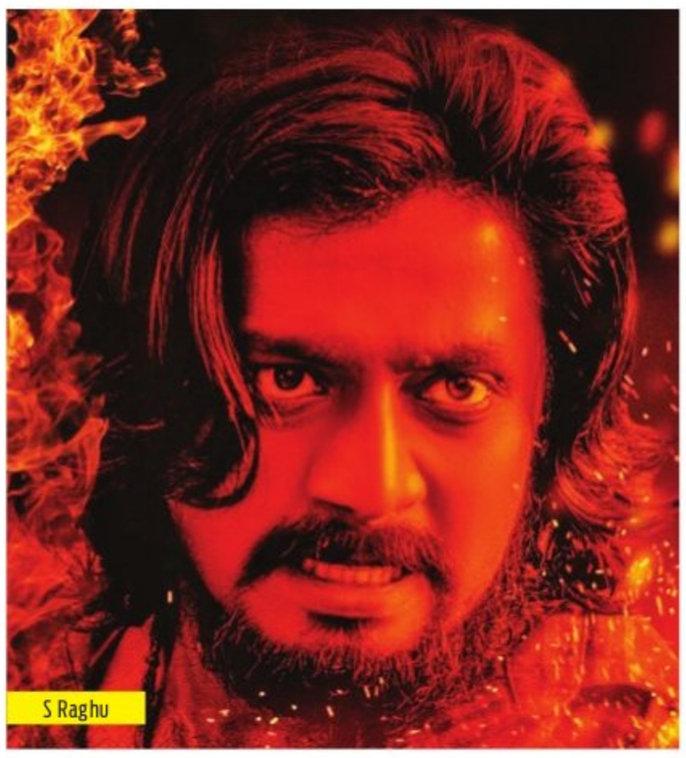
JAADAGHATTA is an upcoming family drama slated to release on February 4. The film marks the debut of S Raghu, who has donned multiple hats for the film.

Apart from playing the lead, Raghu has handled the film's story, screenplay, dialogue, direction, editing and has also sung a song.

"I have worked in the editing department for almost 10 years. I have put in the experience and knowledge I gained over the years in *Jaadaghatta*," says Raghu, who has come with a village-based subject about a father-son bond.

"The film revolves around a teenage boy. The subject explains the resolutions he has to take in his lifetime for the family and nation," Raghu adds.

Jaadaghatta, made under Shashimani Productions, features many freshers. "I have also employed people from my village Mandya, who were enthusiastic to work under my direction," says Raghu. Suhan S Gowda, Harshitha P, Prerana Raju, Anu, Venu, Lohith, and Ramesh S are part of the ensemble cast. Abhishek G Roy has composed the music for the film.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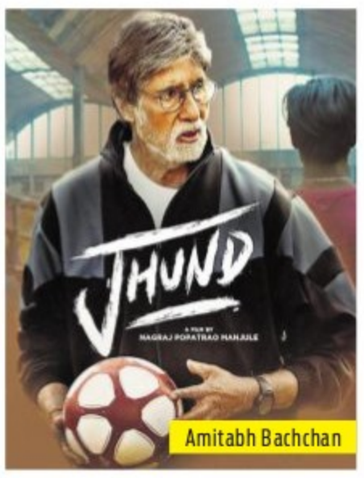
AMITABH BACHCHAN-STARRER *JHUND* TO RELEASE ON MARCH 4



Amitabh Bachchan

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JHUND, starring Amitabh Bachchan and directed by Nagraj Manjule, has a release date. The film will open in theatres on March 4.

Jhund is based on the life of Dr Vijay Barse, a retired sports teacher and founder of 'slum soccers' — a Nagpur-based non-profit committed to the upliftment of underprivileged children through football matches. The film marks the Hindi feature debut of Nagraj, who has directed critically-acclaimed Marathi-language films like Sairat and Fandry.

Jhund was shot on location in Nagpur in 2018. The film has been delayed multiple times over the last few years. It is produced by T-Series, Tandav Films Entertainment and Aatpat.

Amitabh Bachchan is also a part of *Brahmastra*, releasing in September this year. The film stars Ranbir Kapoor and Alia Bhatt.

Nagraj Manjule recently directed a segment in *Unpaused: Naya Safar*. He also played the lead character in his short.

Kartik's *Bhool Bhulaiyaa 2* to release on May 20

Kartik Aaryan

CE FEATURES

BHOOL Bhulaiyaa 2 will release in theatres on May 20. The film stars Kartik Aaryan, Kiara Advani, and Tabu. It has been directed by Anees Bazmee and written by Farhad Samji and Aakash Kaushik.

Bhool Bhulaiyaa 2 was shot over several locations, including Lucknow, Jaipur, Mumbai and Manali. Unlike the first film, which was a psychological thriller, the sequel will be a bonafide horror film, Anees has said. Directed by Priyadarshan, *Bhool Bhulaiyaa* (2007) starred Akshay Kumar as a psychiatrist who returns to India to investigate an allegedly haunted palace. The film was a remake of the 1993 Malayalam epic *Manichitrathazhu*. Kartik Aaryan was last seen in Dhamaka (on Netflix). His upcoming films include *Freddy* and *Shehzada*.

Pratik on playing an investigator in *The Great Indian Murder*

Tigmanshu Dhulia's series drops on Disney+ Hotstar on February 4

Pratik Gandhi

SHILAJIT MITRA

PRATIK Gandhi was hounded out of his wits by CBI officials in *Scam 1992*. Funny, then, that he now returns as an agency sleuth in *The Great Indian Murder*. Premiering this week on Disney+ Hotstar, the 9-part series is adapted from Vikas Swarup's book Six Suspects, published in 2008. Pratik is Suraj Yadav, a CBI investigator who joins Richa Chadha's cop to solve a sensational murder. Their characters aren't present in the original book; writer-director Tigmanshu Dhulia contrived them to frame his adaptation better.

"Suraj isn't your typical investigator," Pratik, who's seen rocking a black suit and glasses in the trailer, says. "He can't fly planes or things like that. He is a flawed, human character, with his own complexes and politics."

Pratik had accepted the role before reading the script. He confesses to being a Tigmanshu Dhulia fan. "He creates these wonderful, earthy worlds. I'd loved his Paan Singh Tomar (2012)."

Tigmanshu Dhulia

Karamchand, the carrot-munching detective played by Pankaj Kapur, is one of his favorite performances of all time, Pratik says. More recently, he enjoyed Benedict Cumberbatch in Dominic Cooke's spy drama The Courier. "I like characters that are more grounded and complex," he says.

The Great Indian Murder was shot across nine cities, including Delhi, Raipur and Mumbai. Pratik enjoys the long haul — though, with projects piling up, it's getting tougher.

"Committing to any new project is getting difficult because of the timelines," the actor shares. He has four Hindi films in the offing — *Atithi Bhooto Bhava, Dedh Bigha Zameen, Woh Ladki Hai Kahaan?* and an untitled film with Vidya Balan. On the web, he's boarded For Your Eyes Only, a large-canvas Netflix series set to roll this year. There is also talk of a *Modern Love* adaptation at Amazon.

"It's a crazy but exciting time for me," Pratik says. "I've waited for this a long time."